Notices of Firms.

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No. 6089

Arrivals.

Bangkok on 18th May, and had thick, equally wentber and variable winds from Pulo Supata to Paracels, from the latter had a heavy gale

from the N.E. for two days, afterwards and un-

steamship Fu-yewat 10 a.m. on the 30th, Passed

a French mail steamer at 5 p.m. on 1st instant, and passed the steamship. Amon at 5.30 s.m. on

Auction Sales To-day.

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To be Let.

MARINE RISKS.

Policies at operate rates, payable either here, in London, or at the principal ports of India, Australia, and the East.

A BECKERAGE of THIRTY-THREE and ONE

THEED PER CENT. will be allowed on all LOCAL

FIRE RISKS.

Policies granted on First-class Buildings t

an extent of \$20,000.

A DISCOUNT of TWENTY PER CENT. (20%)

upon the current local rates will be allowed on all premium charged for insurance; such dis-

count being deducted at the time of the issue

RUSSELL & Co.,

A.D. 1720.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Policion issued for long or short per ods at

LIFE DEPARTMENT. Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000.

ti 1863 Hongkong. 26th July, 1872,

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

A discount of 20% allowed

til our arrival here light N.E. and Easterly [] HE undersigned having been appointed winds.

Agents for the above Corporation, are prepared to grant Insurances as follows:—

enced-light winds and fine weather. Passed the hing, and Australia.

The British steamship Chinking reports left
Shanghai on 30th May at 2 a.m., and arrived in Policies at current rates, payable either here. HISKS.
Hongkong at 8 a.m. on 3rd June, and experi- in London, or at the principal Ports of India.

urrent rates.

at reduced rates.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, JUNE 478, 1877.

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Intimations.

Agents for the above Company, are pre-pared to accept risks against Fire at ourrent rates, subject to a bonus of 20 per cent.

tf 39 Hongkong 16th November, 1872.

COMPANY.

THE Undersigned Agents are in receipt of

instructions from the Board of Directors,

inthorizing them to issue Policies to the extent

48 Hongkong, 8th January, 1875,

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,

SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Winchester Repeating Arms and Ammunition:

Du Pont's Blasting and Sporting Powder: Lake Superior and Pacific Fuse Company's Safety

Have always on hand LARGE STOCKS of

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Apply at the Daily Press Office,
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BOUND VOLUMES of the China Overland will be landed Trade Report for the Year 1876. Price and expense.

719 Hongkong, 9th May, 1877.

VIEE SUNG & Co.,

every description of COAL.

No. 43, Praya, Hongkong.

Ten Dollars.

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Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

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will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk

GERMAN BARK IRIS, FROM HAMBURG.

ternignature, and to take immediate delivery

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees risk

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Co.. CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Vessel are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Luding to the Undersigned for Conn-

11 771 Houghoug; 19th May, 1877,

778 Hongkong, 23nd May, 1877.

and expense.

of their Goods.

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Intimations.

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[PRICE \$21 PER MONTH.

Intimations.

. ' '	Arrivals.	Notices of Firms.	To be Let.	Anchions.	indinations.	intimations.	antimations.
	June 1, Diomed, Bristisl steamer, 1,241, Jackson, Liverpool via Suez 17th April.	AR. EDWARD BURNIE will conduct the	TO BE LET. THE PREMISES, No. 39, QUEEN'S ROAD,	PUBLIC AUCTION.	[보통과 사용하다 성 도로 한 것 않는다] 학생	THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED).	FOR HOIHOW.
	Singapore 26th May, General.—But- TERFIELD & SWIRE.	IVE Business of my Office, during my tem-	Late in the booupation of The Horneo Company, Limited. Apply to TURNER & Co.	THE Undersigned has received instructions from H.M. Naval Storekeeper to Sell by Public Auction, on	National Control of the Control of t	Capital Table 400,000; Equal to \$555,555.55.	"PENEDO," Captain T. Cain, will be despetched for the
	June 2, Ningro, British str., 761, R. Cass, Saigon 29th May, Rice.—Siemssen &	Surveyor to Local Offices and Lloyds, Register of Shipping.	tv 730 Hongkong, 11th May, 1877:	WEDNESDAY, the 13th day of June, 1877, at 11 o'clock A.M.,		DIRECTORS. LEE SING. of the Lai Hing Fire.	above Port TO-MORROW, the 5th instant, at 5 P.M.
	Co. June 2, BARBARA TAYLOR, British schooner,	2, Club Chambers,	A FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWN on the Praya, Wanchai.	Sundry CONDEMNED NAVAL and VIC-	ATTACA SE LANGUA ANDA ALLA MILLA TITTO	CHAN SHUNG LAI, of the Lai Yuen Firm. Wong Yik Pun of the Chun Cheong Wing	For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.
	• 252, John Taylor, Bangkok 16th May, General.—McEwen, Frickel & Co.	NOTIUE. R. GUSTAV OTTO DRISHAUS has	OLYPHANT & Co.	TUALLING STORES and PROVISIONS. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots.	have complied with the requirements of Or- dinance No. 16 of 1873 for the REGISTRATION	LOO YEE, of the Yee On Eirm. Fong Soey Fung, of the Tung Sang We Hong.	FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG,
	June 2, TEHERAN, British str., 1,671, A. H. Johnson, Bombay 14th May, Galle 19th,	FIRM from the let of January, 1876.	tf 458 Hongkong, 1st March, 1877, TO LET.	with all faults and errors of description, at pur- chasers' risk on the fall of the hammer.	in this Colony of their TRADE MARK as applied to White Lead, Painters' Colours, Oil, and Varnish, and that the same has been		THE German Steamship
	Penang 25th, and Singapore 28th, Mails and General,—P. & O. S. N. Co.	1m 769 Amoy, 12th May, 1877.	1 HE THREE LARGE HOUSES (recently thoroughly repaired) known as FLET-cher's Buildings, adjoining the Control De-	J. M. ARMSTRONG, Government Auctionect. 250 Hongkong, 4th June, 1877.	duly registered. By command, (Signed) J. GARDINER AUSTIN,	MANAGER—HO AMEI.	"FERONIA." Stultz, Master, will be despatched as above on
· .*.	June 3, Sourabaya Packet, Dutch bark, 496, H. Verdum, Baugkok 4th May, Rice.—Order.	WE have THIS DAY opened a BRANCH of our Firm at AMOY in connection with	partment. They may be occupied as entire Dwellings or in Flats, and would be suitable	AYLE & CO.	Colonial Secretary.	MARINE RISKS on Goods, &c., taken at CURRENT RATES to Australia, California,	or about the 13th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to
• :	Clara & Array Buitich harly 200 A E	that of Swatow. Mr. M. G. SCOTT will act as our Agent. LLOYD, KHOO THONG POH & Co.	for a Mess or Boarding Establishment. Also, SPACIOUS GRANITE GODOWNS, con-	BEG TO SOLICIT AN INSPECTION OF THEIR	Messra, Hubbuck and Son's Genuine Goods are always kept in Stock by their Agents.	Manila, Singapore, Saigon, Penang, and to all the Treaty Ports of China and Japan.	Wm. PUSTAU & Co., Agents Stenmship Feronia. 846 Hongkong, 4th June, 1877.
	Jardine, Matheson & Co. June 3, Penedo, British str., 652, John Cain,	2m 741 Swatow, 11th May, 1877.	nected with the above, fronting the Harbour and Queen's Boad.	SUMMERSTOCK	LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. 770 Hongkong, 18th May, 1877.	Head Office, 48, Houham Strand, Hongkong, 1st June, 1877. [tf 852]	FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
-	Hollow 1st June, General.—Siemssen & Co.	HAVE THIS DAY established myself at Amoy as AGENT for the Firm of LLOYD,	Also, "FAIRLEA," WEST POINT, late in the oc- cupation of Dr. DENNYS. These Premises are	NEW DRESS MATERIALS, in GAUZE MIKADO SILKS.	KEATINGS INSECT POWDER.	N and after the 28th of May, Dr. STOUT'S	T. Roberts, Master, will load here for the above.
	June 3, Roderick Hay, British back, 290, P. H. Nicolson, Bangkok 18th May, Gene-	THOU TENNG TOR & CO.	virtually two Residences, the Lower Storey baying an entirely separate Entrance and Gar-	PLAIN and STRIPED LUSTRES.	other, Insects are Destroyed by KEATING'S	CONSULTING and OPERATING ROOMS will be on the Ground-floor of the HOTEL DE	For Freight, apply to
	June S, Chinkiand, British steamer, 798,	NOTIOE.	don. Gas, Water, Stabling, and Tennis Lawn. Apply to	MOHAIR SIGILIANS. WHITE and COLOURED HAMBURG	is quite barmless to Domestic Animals. Sold in tine 1s. and Bottles, by THOMAS KEATING.	t'Univers. tf 808 Hongkong, 28th May, 1877. NREAT NORTHERN TELEGRAPH	VOGEL, HAGEDORN-& Co
	Orr, Shanghai 30th May, General.— Sirmssen & Co. Tune 2 Macorphon British steamer 2465	& Co., and OPENED BUSINESS in the pro-	SHARP, TOLLER, AND JOHNSON, Solicitors. Sonceme Court House.	NETS. FANOY COLOURED GRENADINES and	St. Paul's Oliurchyard, London, and all Chemists. In exterminating Beetles the suc-	GOMPANY.	FOR NEW YORK. THE AI British Ship "HANNAH LAW."
		of Robert More, as Shipehandler, Sail- Maker, and General Storekeeper.	Hongkong, 23rd April, 1877. [625] TO LET.	GAUZES. The BEST MAKE of	one need be troubled by those peats. It is perfectly clean in application. [48i 706]	on and atter the 1st of June next, and until further notice, a Word RATE will be adopted on the Correspondence between Hongkong	I make dayon acabatest
٠.	June 3, Helene, German bark, 372, T. A. Volguardsen, Saigon 23rd May, Rice.—	ROBERT MORE.	HOUSES in SEYMOUR TERRACE and PEDDAR'S HILL. No. 10, ALBANY ROAD, at present oc-	BLACK GRENABINE, Guaranteed to wear well.		and ALL PLACES in CHINA and JAPAN, thus only making the number of words actually sent	For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEUORN & Co. 848 Hongkong, 4th June, 1877.
	Wieler & Co. June 3, Christian, German 3-m. sch., 282,	IVI. von PUSTAU. Junior. and Mr. CON-	oupled by the Rev. R. H. Kidd.	NEW GOODS,	Apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.	chargeable. The following Hates will be charged:—	JUST landed, ex "HOPE" and other late arrivals, an Invoice of Guiness's STOUT.
	Stehr, Whampoa 1st June.—E. Schell- hass & Co.	RAD MUNROE DONNER have been AD- MITTED PARTNERS in our FIRM from the	nished. Apply to	most suitable for WASHING COSTUMES and MORNING WEAPPERS.	tf 831 Hongkong, 31st May, 1877.	CHINA. To AMOT	bottled by BOUREE, in Pints and Quarts.
	Clearances.	First of January, 1877. WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, Canton, and Shanghai,	DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. tf 512 Hongkong, 16th March, 1877.	PLAIN COLOURED ORGANDI MUSLINS. FANOY STRIPED FRENCH PRINTED	A Substantially built STEAM LAUNCH.	JAPAN. To NAGABAKI and other 80 Cents per Word.	D Star,
-	AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE,	16th April, 1877. [3m 590] NOTIOE.	THE HOUSE, No. 8, WEST TERRACE; Gas and Water laid on.	MUSLINS. KANDA and YOSEMITE STRIPED	about 61 feet; Depth below Deck about 31 feet.	places	I. Orn Lyg. Basel Cingway 9. Stones. —
	June 2nd. Presto, British bark, for Macao.	Mr. W. H. BELL in the Hongkong Daily Pross, and the Business connected therewith,	Apply to T. ALGAR, 9, Hollywood Road.	CAMBRICS. WHITE and COLOURED NIAGARA	For Particulars, apply to LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. 825 Hongkong, 30th May, 1877.	should be added the rates of transmission on the Japanese Government lines, viz.;—	ROBERT MORE, late BROADBEAR, ANTHONY & Co.
	Cyphrenes, British steamer, for Saigon. Bowen, British steamer, for Foochow.	O'ASED on the Sist December last. The Business will, in future, be conducted	528 Hongkong, 5th April, 1877. TO LET,	CAMBRICS. WHITE BRILLIANTES and PIQUES.	TAMMERT, ATKINSON & CO.	ALL PLACES, except Hakodsti, First 20 Words, \$2; Every Additional 10 Words, \$1. HAKODATE First 20 Words, \$4; Every Ad.	NOTICE. NOTICE. NOTICE. THOM This Date Mr. EDWARD SHEP-
<u>.</u> ! .	Diomed, British steamer, for Shanghai. Gordon Castle, British steamer, for Shanghai.	on my own account. YORJOK JONES MURROW,	(With Immediate Possession), OOMMODIOUS BUNGALOW, known as PARSER VILLA, situated at ROBIN.	. DAMASSE CAMBRICS.	T. AND D. HENRY'S CANVAS, WOODBERRY'S American COTTON CAN-	Words containing More THAN 10 LETTERS	PARD and Mr. M. W. GREIG are authorized to SIGN the NAME of our FIRM
	Departures.		son Road, with Out-houses. Flower and Vege- table Gardens attached, and Gas laid on,	FRENCH PERCALES and ORETONNE CAMBRICS.	WAS. MANILA (Santa Mesa) ROPE, Assorted	will be charged as Two Words. Rates of Tariffs will follow. A. SUENSON.	per procuration at ECOCHOW, and Mr. F. F. ELLWELL at AMOY.
	June 2, Leucadra, British ship, for London.	Hongkong, 5th April, 1877.	Apply to D. NOWROJEE, tf 795] Hongkong Hotel.	GALATEA STRIPES and LINEN MATS	GALVANIZED WIRE ROPE, from 1 inch to 5 inches.	Superintendent. 7d 818 Hongkong, 29th May, 1877.	RUSSELL & Co. 6m 844 Chine, let June, 1877.
	June 2, Victory, British brig, for Wham- poa.	N and after the 16th November, 1876, and	TO LET. THE DWELLING HOUSE and OFFICES, No. 1, D'AGUILAR STREET, lately in the	for Children's Wear.	HOTH'S RUSSIAN RUFE. HOTH'S TARRED LINES, from 6 Throad	PIANO TONING.	OTICE is hereby given, that the Owners of the British Ship "FIFESHIRE" will no longer be RESPONSIBLE for DEBTS in-
: 15	June 2, Gwalton, British steamer, for Sin- gapore, Bombay, &c.	until further notice, the Business of the above-named Dispensary will be carried on by the Undersigned.	occupation of Mesers. DOUGLAS LAPRAIX & Co. The DWELLING HOUSE No. 1, ALEXAN-	NEW DESIGNS in LINEN, CAMBRIC, and	to 24 Thread. HAMBRO LINES, STICK LINES. SPUNYARN, &c.	R. A. HAHN, PRACTICAL PIANO MANU- FACTURER, REPAIRER, and TUNER, begs leave to inform the Community of Hong-	curred by Captain NESS, late Master, and that
	June 3, Diomed, British str., for Suaugust. June 3, Bowen, British str., for Foochow.	WM. ORUICKSHANK, Manager,	DEA TERRACE. Possession from the 1st June next. "The DWELLING HOUSE, No. 6, GOUGH	EMBROIDERED HOLLAND, PRINTED	FEOST'S (English) SEIZING, in Hanks, Assorted.	kong of his arrival at this Port on a visit, and that he is now prepared to TUNE and RE-	vances to him do so at their own risk. Particulars of all CLAIMS outstanding are
 	June 3, Ellen Rickmess, German bark, for London. June 3, Chinkians, British steamer, for		STREET. Possession from the 1st July next. Apply to	OAMBRIC, WHITE BRILLIANTE, and MUSLIN MORNING WRAPPERS.	FROST'S WHITE LINES. DEEP SEA LEADLINES. HAND LEADLINES.	PAIR PIANOS, HARMONIUMS, - &c., at MODERATE CHARGES, during his short stay.	to be forwarded to ROBERT GREIG, Master of the British Ship "HANNAH LAW." ROBERT GREIG.
	Canton.	HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. PAID-UP CAPITAL5,000,000 of Dollars.	DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. 760 Hongkong, Slat May, 1877.	RICHLY EMBROIDERED SKIRTS. LADIES' TRIMMED and UNTRIMMED	PATENT SIGNAL HALLIARDS. LOGLINES, FISHING LINES, &c.	Orders left in care of Messrs. LANE, CRAW- FORD & Co., or Messes. Chas. J. Gaupp & Co., will meet with prompt attention.	1 A mark Provide Administration
	hama.	RESERVE FUND 500,000 of Dollars.	SUN FIRE OFFICE.	HATS and BONNETS, just arrived from Paris.	WIRE SEIZING, Assorted Sizes. SQUEEJEES. Ship's SURAPERS. PORT LIGHTS and DECK LIGHTS.	789 Hongkong, 24th May, 1877.	Notices to Consignees.
·	Passengers.	Court of Directors:— Chairman—H. Hoppius, Esq.	THE Undersigned is prepared to Grant Policies against Fire to the extent of	BOYS' and GIRLS' STRAW HATS, CHILDREN'S WHITE PIQUE WASHING	SIDE LIGHTS and MASTHEAD LAMPS. Saloon Suspension LAMPS.	W able WIDOW, as ATTENDANT on CHILDREN or an INVALID LADY proceeding to	[]
·	Per Diomed, str., from Liverpool, &c.:-	W. H. Forbes, Kay. Wilhelm Reiners, Esq.	350,000 on First-class Risks. A Discount of Twenty per cent. (20 /.) upon	HATS. LADIES' and OHILDREN'S UNDER-	GLOBE LANTERNS, Ruby, Green, and White.	Europe, Good References. Address "A.B.," care of Daily Press Office.	P. & O. S. N. COMPANY'S STEAMSHIP.
	For Hongkong.—Mrs. Liddell and child, and 74 Chinese. For Shanghai.—Miss Deidrick-	Hon, W. Keswick, Rd. Tobin, Esq. Chief Manager, Hongkong—Thomas Jackson, Esq.,	the Current Local Rates of Premia will be allowed upon Insurances effected with this Office. T. G. LINSTEAD.		MARLINGSPIKES, SAIL and ROPING NEEDLES. COTTON WASTE.	694 Hongkong, 4th May, 1877. "JAPAN GAZETTE,"	TEHERAN. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named
	Per Barbara Taylor, from Bangkok:-	Manager. Shanghai—Ewen Cameron, Esq.	Agent, Sun Fire Office. 1335 Hongkong, 4th October, 1876.	HATS, and BONNETS.	WHITE FLAX-PACKING. TUCK'S PATENT PACKING.	YORGHAMA. T T AVING been appointed AGENT in Hong-	Ports, and in connection with the Steamers
-	Per Penedo, str., from Hoihow: I European and 28 Chinese. Per Macgregor, str., from Saigon:	Landon Bankers—London and County Bank. HONGKONG.	INPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COM- PANY.	SULLIMENT DIE GELLENGE	**************************************	Gazette, Orders for Subscriptions and Adver-	from Calcutte, are hereby notified that their
	150 Chinese. Per Teheran, str., from Bombay, &c.:-	Interest Allowed. On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of	THE Undersigned, Agents for the above	white and STRIPED SILK, THREAD, and COTTON HOSE.	TALLOW. PHACOCK'S COMPOSITION PAINT.	tisements for that Paper will be received at this Office. Honokong Daily Press Office.	in the Company's Godowns at West Point, whence delivery can be obtained from this date.
ining salah di Tanggar	From Southampton.—Mr. T. Snell, Lieut. S.	1 per cent. per annum on the daily balance. On Fixed Deposits:— For 3 months 2 per cent. per annum	against Fire to the extent of \$60,000 on any one	SUUKS,	PAINT BRUSHES, all sizes. THOMAS HUBBUCK AND SO,N'S PAINTS and OILS.	Hongkong Daily Press Office, Hongkong 23rd May, 1877. • THE UNION MARINE INSURANCE	Goods not delivered by the 9th instant will be subject to Rent. ADAM LIND.
	M. Coker, Messrs. A. Smith and J. Rayner. From Suez.—Mr. Kurt von Kalm (German Consul). From Bombay.—Mr. Barr. From	kan ing kalanggan pagalanggan kalanggan pagalanggan pagalanggan pagalanggan pagalanggan pagalanggan pagalangga	FIRST CLASS RISK, at Current Rates.	INDIA and HORROCKS' LONG CLOTHS DRESSMAKING and MILLINERY,	HUBBUCK'S TURPENTINE. HUBBUCK'S Pale BOILED LINSEED OIL.	d COMPANY, LIMITED.	Superintendent. 853 Hongkong, 3rd June, 1877.
, ;	Penang.—LieutColonel Hall and servant, and Lieut. Sanders and servant. From Calcutta.—	Local Bills Discounted. Gredits—granted on approved Securities, and	A RETURN OF TWENTY PER CENT. (20 /. will be made on the premium charged on all Insurances, such RETURN being payable on the	, 	HUBBUCK'S RAW LINSEED OIL. HUBBUCK'S PALE BRIGHT VARNISH. HUBBUCK'S BLACK VARNISH.	The Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS of the above Company at HONG KONG and FOOCHOW, are prepared to ac	OUDAN STEAMSHIF-OUMPANI.
	Mr. Wigram. From Singapore.—Sir David Wedderburn and Mr. W. Wedderburn, and 49 Chinese.	every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts—granted on London, and the chief	GIHB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,	VICTORIA EXCHANGE,	HUBBUCK'S COPAL VARNISH, in Quart	cept Risks and issue Policies by any First class Steamers, at CURRENT RATES, payable either	PRIAM are hereby notified that the
	For Yokohama. From Southampton.—Mr. and Mrs. Dare.	commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.	Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company 333 Hongkong, Ist March, 1874.		HUBBUCK'S WHITE ZINC VARNISH, in Quart Caus. HUBBUCK'S FRENCH POLISH, in Quart	here, in London, in Liverpool, or at the principal Ports of India and the East. BIRLEY & Co.,	at the Godowns of the Undersigned, in both cases it will lie at Consignees' risk. The cargo
•	From Suez.—Mr. S. Helen.	T. JAOKSON, Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East,	NOTICE.	FOR SALE.	Cans.	Agents. 3m 777 Hongkong, 22nd May, 1877.	will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 31st May, 1877. Goods undelivered after the 7th June, 1877.
•	DEPARTED. Per Diomed, str., for Shanghai:— Mrs. Liddell and child, Miss Deidricksen, and	Hongkong, 29th March, 1877. OHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY	L ONDON AND ORIENTAL STEAM TRANSIT INSURANCE	SEVEN CHINESE HOUSES, situated of Queen's ROAD East. A GATLING GUN, in splendid working	HUBBUCK'S RED LEAD.	CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE	will be subject to Rept. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
	200 Chinese. Per Gwalior, str., for Singapore, &c.:-	(LIMITED).	COMPANY.	order. For Particulars, apply to	HUBBUCK'S BLACK PAINT. HUBBUCK'S GREEN PAINT. HUBBUCK'S YELLOW PAINT.	ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1876.	832 Hongkong, 30th May, 1876. STEAMSHIP AMAZONE.
	For Penang from Hongkong-Lieutenant T. Thompson: For Southampton from Yoko- hama.—Mr. H.B. Webber. From Shanghai.—	NOTICE.	The Business of this Company has This Day been Transference to The Marini Insurance Company, of 20, Old Broad Street	593 Hongkong, 18th April, 1877.	HUBBUOK'S RED PAINT. - HUBBUOK'S BLUE PAINT.	Shareholders in the above Office are requested to furnish the Undersigned with a LIST of	MARITIMES.
	Miss Cowie, Commander C. V. Anson, and Mr. W. P. Andrew.	rine Risks to all parts of the World. In accordance with the Company's Articles of As-	London. By Order of the Proprietors.	FOR BALE. TANE, ORAWFORD & CO	HUBBUCK'S BROWN OXIDE PAINT. HUBBUCK'S FINE PAINTS, in 1)b. Tine. HUBBUCK'S Patent & White Zine DRIERS.	their CONTRIBUTION for the year ending Slat December, 1876, in order that the distribution of the Nett Profits reserved for Contribution.	NOTETO TEND IN COME AND STANDARD
	Per Bowen, str., for Forchow:— 3 Cabin.	sociation, Two-thirds of the Profits are distri- buted annually to Contributors, whether Share- fiolders or not, in proportion to the net amount	WILLIAM HUNT, Secretary. 137, Leadenball Street, London,	HAVE JUST RECEIVED AN INVOICE OF COPE BROTHERS & Co.'s	AMERICAN BEEF and PORK, in Barrels	butors may be arranged. Returns not rendere prior to the Slat August next will be adjuste	INDUS, from London, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed
	TO DEPART. Per Gordon Castle, Str., for Shanghai:	of Premia contributed by each, the remaining third being carried to Reserve Fund.	let January, 1877.	TOBACCOS AND CIGARETTES COPES' GOLDEN CLOUD.	(200 lbs. each). Canned MEATS, SOUP and BOUILLI SOUPS, &c.	The bubble decision is a second secon	their risks at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after
	2 Cabin. Per Cyphrenes, str., for Saigon:— 100 Chinese.	OLYPHANT & Co., General Agents, 1951 Hongkong, 17th April, 1878.	HE MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY ESTABLISHED 1836.	COPES' BRISTOL BIRDSEYE. COPES' SMOKING MIXTURE.	OILMAN'S STORES of all kinds. MAOKEREL, SALMON BELLIES, and	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. 4m 675 Hongkong, 1st May, 1877.	landing. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees be-
· , ·		ANOHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COM- PANY OF MANCHESTER AND	CAPITAL £1,000,000 Sterling RESERVE FUND £340,000 Sterling	COPES' PEERLESS OLGARETTES.	TONGUES and SOUNDS, in Kits. &c., &c., &c. 978 Hongkong, 24th May, 1877.	NCTLOE.	fore TO-DAY, the 30th instant, at Noon, requesting it to be landed here.
· ·	The German bark Helene reports left Sai-	LONDON, MARINE MARINE	With reference to the foregoing advertise	COPES BOUGGET OFFICE COPES FAIRY CIGARETTES.	FOR SALE.	GEO. SMITE AND COMPANY WINE, SPIRIT, & BEER MERCHANTS.	Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned.
	gon on 23rd May, and had N.E. winds and fine weather.	Agents for the above Company at Hong-	ment, THE MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY has This Day taken over the Business of the London and Oriental Stram Transit Com	A THE THE WORLD	THAS. HEIDSIECK'S CHAMPAGNE, "WEISSLACK." \$19per case of 2 dozen pints.	We have appointed Messra. NORTON & Co	Goods remaining unclaimed after MON- DAY, the 4th June, at Noon, will be subject to rept and landing charges.
<u> </u>	The British bark Aline reports left Keelung on 28th May, and had light Evetorly winds and	kong, Canton, Foothow, Shanghai, and Hen- kow and are prepared to grant Insurances at Current Rates.	PANY, and has appointed Mr. A. McIVER a its Agent at Hongkong.	Hongkong, 28th May, 1877. [4 809	\$18per case of 1 dozen quarts,	DUDDELL STREET, QUEEN'S ROAD, OUT AGENT in HONGKONG, from whom Supplies of ou	No Fire Insurance has been effected.
· · ·	fine weather the whole of the pussage.	HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.	By Order of the Board of Directors, ROBERT J. LODGE, Manager.	J. AND R. TENNENT'S ALE an DAVID CORSAR & SONS'	"VIN DES PRINCES." \$18per case of 1 dozen quarts.	Wines, &c., may be obtained. Price Lists on application.	827 Hongkong, 30th May, 1877.
	The Dutch bark Sourabaya Packet reports left Bungkok on 4th May, and had strong winds from the S.E. and a heavy sea the latter	NOWLE DULIDE AND MERCANTILE	20, Old Broad Street, London, 1st January, 1877.	Merchant Navy Navy Boiled CANVAG	PALMER MARGAUX.	GEO. SMITH & Co.	GERMAN BARQUE A. E. VIDAL, FROM HAMBURG
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	The British steamship Penedo reports left Hollow on let June, and had light East and	W.4.17.1.1100G	L RISKS and ISSUE POLICIES on behalf of the MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY by any First-class Steamer.	The season was to the season the	LORMONT. \$5per case of 1 dozen quarts. \$6per case of 2 dozen pints.	CANTONMessre. GEPP & Co. YOROHAMAALEX. W. GLENNIE, Est 3m 359 Shangbai, 21st February, 1877.	Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for Coun- tersignature, and to take immediate delivery of
• 1	N.B. winds and fine weather throughout the passage.	OAPITAL—£2,000,000	A. McIVER, Agent of the Marine Insurance Company	REDUCED PRICE \$1. Containing the names of all the Articles of	SIEMSSEN & Co. 592 Hongkong, lat May, 1876.	L. THEVENIE	their Goods: Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel. will be landed and stored at Consigness' risk
, 7 , .	The British steamship Macgregor reports left Saigon on 30th May. From Cape St. James to	than have Company are proposed to sent	288 Hongkong, 16th February, 1877.	Trade, objects of Natural History, Furniture &c., &c., with the Punti, and Mandarin Pronur	FOR SALE. FIRIME SWEET MILE OHEESE, EDAM	WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANT, AND IMPOSTES OF	and expense. WIELER & Co.,
<u> </u>	Cape Pad ran light S.S.W. winds, and from thence to port fresh N. and N.E. winds.	on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same,	THE SOOTTISH IMPERIAL INSURANCE COMPANY,	Also a few copies of the GRAMMAR of the Chinese Language, in two Parts.	BACON. Small Kegs SALT PORK and BEEF. SOUR KROUT, in Stone Jars. SALT		824 Hongkong, 30th May, 1877.
•	The P. & O. mail steamship Tcheran reported left Bombay on 14th May, Galle on the 19th.	Twenty per cents, (20 %)	THE Undersigned, having been appointed Agent in Hongkong for the above-named	The Daily Press Office. PAUENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY	HERRINGS, in Tipe, SPARKING MOSELLE, S7 per Doz. CHAMPAGNE, Pints, 2 Doz.	O. ROGERS, DENTAL SURGEON	BARQUE HOPE, FROM LONDON.
· ·	Pensng on the 25th, and Singapore on the 28th, and bad fine weather throughout.	tf. 1063 Hongkong, 7th July, 1874.	Company, is prepared to GRANT POLICIES against FIRE on Buildings and on Goods to	HE Undersigned having been appointe	Case, \$10. CLARET, 1 Doz. Case, \$2.50. J. F. SCHEFFER,	Begs to inform his Friends that he letered	Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for Counter-
	The British steamship Ningpo reports left Saigon on 29th May, and experienced strong N.	INSURANOE COMPANY.	to an immediate discount of 20%. Attention is invited to a considerable reduc	Port, are prepared to grant Policies agains Fire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings	NOW ON SALE	Eight Weeks, leaving early in April.	signature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel
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number of months every year, it is important that there should be a good reserve fund, so that the Club will not have to appeal to the public on every emergency. of Mr. Shaw returning to India in the autumn,

A meeting is shortly to be held to consider and being cent ac British Resident and Comthe amount of the annual subscription. According to the rules it is \$20, but when the bath-house was blown away and members got very little, comparatively speaking, for their | Harbour Master's Office, Praya West, the maximoney, it was reduced to \$10. Now, how- mum was 67.0 and the minimum 72.0. No rain ever, the bath-house is again available and there is no reason for not acting upon the rules. If the members are of opinion that the subscription is too high it alter the rule bearing upon the question, above. It is a matter on which the opinion the vessel remained on the bank, the lowest of the committee, who have a knowledge of water being 13 feet 6 inches. Four hours after the ordinary and possible extraordinary ex- grounding the vessel floated, not having received penditure of the Club, ought to have great weight. The institution is an essentially popular one, and if a smaller subscription can be made to meet the requirements, it will be a matter for congratulation, but a ponny wise and pound foolish policy ought to be goodly number of members present. Mr. W. carefully guarded against. Turning from this point to the more immediate affairs of the Club, we are glad to notice that boating seems to be on the increase, and that an eight-pared boat has made its appearance in that in future eight-oared races would form a feature in the annual regattas, a hope which will be concurred in by all interested in aquatics. The more varied the regattas

come. We hope that the more regulation w

gent typhoon season.

be eminently successful, and that the Club

WE notice by a minute published in Saturday's Gazette, His Excellency the Governor has decided that, as a general rule, all apof competitive examinations similar to that which is established for the Civil Service in With brief descriptions of Hongkong the the United Kingdom by Order in Council on no fewer than fifty-two ships from India, China Treaty Ports of China, Japan, and the Philip. the 4th June, 1870. Any young man in the It also includes a mass of useful information the requisite knowledge and ability to dis- record. in addition to that usually found in works of the charge the duties of the post to which he aspires, can compete for such appointment. The larger Directory contains the different This is a step which will be generally approved. mondation in its favour. The best and most deserving men obtain the situations, It is further embellished with a Chromo- the Colony secures the most competent officials, and justice is done to all parties. In some departments in former times youths have, we understand, been allowed to work for a period without remuneration, in consideration of which they received the first sucancy that occurred. The competitive examination system will put an end to the possibility of such arrangements, by which more first examination of the kind here will take place on Thursday next for a clerkship in the small, but there will doubtless be no want of candidates. The Right Rev. Bishop Buadon, the Registrar-General, and Mr. Acnov form the Board of Examiners on this occasion.

Tue Route's tologer in published in another

column states, in connection with the war peace negotiations being opened through the mediation of Germany. These are nothing | East with a view to the adoption of a similar more than mere rumours, it is to be feared it is very unlikely that Russia is willing to ... Messrs. Wilson, Nicholls & Co. give up yet. In the first place Turkey has | vants are necessarily exposed to special risk | sagerie boats were to be treated as French meanot been made to feel her weakness, and would not be at all disposed to listen to the terms Russia would be desirous of imposng, and the latter country will not conclude CHEFOO and Messrs. Hall & Holtz and Kelly a peace, unless compelled by circumstances without receiving some compensation for the to Devonport. On the arrival of the Squadron | priority the les loci must prevail; by American expenses of the war. Prince Bismarck is generally believed to be anxious for peace. and no doubt if opportunity offers will endeavour to mediate between the belligerents. A writer in Truth makes a rather shrowd guess at the basis on which peace may eventually be concluded. Ho says that it will be proposed that Bulgaria be annexed to Roumania, in SANFRANCISCO Mr. L. P. Fisher, 21, Merchante' consideration of which Mollavia would be ceded to Russia. The Prince of Montenegro would receive a considerable accession of territory and Bosnia would be offered to Austria In Asia the Persiaus would obtain a rectification of frontier at the expense of Turkey. To secure the assent of England to the changes | instant; and the French mail vid Marseilles, n the map of Europe, it would be notified to suzerain of Egypt, the Continental Powers would make no opposition. It is asserted that this scheme of pacification finds considerable favour with German stalesmen. It would be satisfactory to them, of course, to have an autonomous State, ruled by a German Prince, covering both banks of the Danube and securing free navigation of the river. Whether England would care to assume the suzerainty of SHIPS' MEDICINE OHESTS REFITTED Egypt is another matter. It is certain, how. in that country, and the Suez Canal is of daily increasing value and importance to her. There business communications be addressed to the is a strong feeling growing up in favour of the step, and we should not be surprised if came to pass some day. At the same time the Police Authorities. The subjectals not a fit one consideration. In all probability, however, still goods are shipped at much cheaper rates. the subject has already been earnestly dis-

time is not ripe to declare a policy.

and has been seed and the notice of the military of the milita visitations of these phenomena for a certain in Europe by private subscription,

We are requested to announce that Mrs. [LATESTTLEGRAMS. Hennesey will be "at home," on Wednesday pext. June 6, from 5.15 to 7 p.m. REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

mercial Agent to Kashgar. The maximum temperature at the Peak during the past week, as recorded in Saturday's Gazette, was 77.0, the minimum 64.0; at the

fell during the week. A notice to mariners, being an extract from the report of Captain J. MacDonald of the British steamship Galley of Lorne is published in the Gazette as follows: - "After having passed is, of course, open to them to rescind or North Bay Point and steering round Cape Melville (Chart, Australia, East Coast, Sheet XVIII), my vessel touched on a mud bank not but it is not a step which should be lightly marked on the chart. Position: Cape Melville

taken, for the considerations referred to N.W. by W. W. Westerly 41 miles. North Bay Point S.S.E. 31 miles. The tide ebbing rapidly. any damage. Inshore of the bank the depth of water was from 18 to 20 feet." The mombers of the Hongkong Humane Society held a parade on Saturday afternoon last Street for the members to be initiated into the

at 5 p.m. at their Central Station in Duddell working of the rocket apparatus. There was a Wilson, the General Superintendent, secured the services of an expert in the working of the apparatus from on board of H.M.S. Victor Emanuel, and he acted as instructor on Saturday ! of hospitals. to the members, giving them instructions how rocket, and cradle. The members all appeared the Colony. The report expressed a hope very eager to learn and, in fact, some appeared distribution to the hospitals of London. to be very well versed in the working.

The subjoined items are taken from the London and China Express of the 27th April :are made the more enjoyable will they be- Hongkong, &c., is under the consideration of

> mbling an army on the Russo-Kaokhand frontier. Thirty-four guns have been sent to Turkestan from Orenburg. Strong infantry reinforcements are on the road.

The troopship Orontes, Captain E. H. Seymonr arrived at Portsmouth on the 24th April with the 10th Regiment and a number of military pointments at his disposal in the Civil Service invalids and time expired men from the Straits of this Colony shall be given by a system | Settlements, Singapore, the Mauritius, and-Owing to favourable winds on the 24th April

and Australia figured on the books of the "Je-Colony, if of good character and possessing the number being for one day the largest on Captain J. R. Kellock, at present the P. and O. Company's agent at Singapore, has been appointed to the Superintendency at Bombay, in lacs of the late Captain Henry, Captain Black;

> &c., will shortly return to his post in London. We note that Comte de Rochechouart, who was formerly First Secretary of the French Legation and Charge d'Affaires at Peking, bas been appointed Agent and Consul General for France at Beigrade. We trust that in due time Comte de Rochechouart will be selected for the post of Minister in China.

who is now on a tour of inspection in China,

announcing the dissolution of the firm, in consequence of the death of Mr. Ellis James Gilman. Mr. Ellis Gilman (son of the late Mr. E. partner, will continue the business under the capable men were sometimes kept out. The firm of Gilman Brothers and Co, at the same offices, Crown-court, Old Broad-street.

Registrar-General's office. The salary is sponse to the receipt of lower exchanges from quiet. Mexican Dollars have also declined in value, and a few small amounts received during the week from New York have been placed at 543d, per oz., but the price for the close may be considered weaker.

> precedent set by the Chartered Bank of India. Australia, and China in the establishment of a superaumation fund, a movement has been set on foot by other establishments with the Far! We hope that the plan of establishing superannuation funds will become general among the India and Obina banks, whose serfrom climate, pressure of work, and other like lof-war.

of Rear-Admiral Rowley Lambert, C.B., was at | on the subject matter of the case he would argue cent, Cape de Verdes, on the 1st April, en route | into contracts; assuming this to be a question of an inquiry will be held-most probably by law there was no distinction-made between court-martial-into the lamentable estastrophe | master and seamen as regards claiming their which occurred on board the Newcastle while the | wages, and if a seaman were personally bound Squadron was on its passage to Singapore from as the master was by this bond he would be in Wingfield, midshipman) and three seamen lost | cases in support of these contentions. their lives by drowning. Captain Francis A. Hume (1865), of the Immortalite, will be tried by court-martial upon certain grave charges with which his name has been associated. The I trial will take place at Devenport,

The latest mail advices received home were -Manila 11th March, Yokobama 13th, Shangbai 16th, Focobow 18th, Hongkong 22nd Batavia 25th, Singapore 29th, and Galle April 6th. The P. and O. mail from Yokohama 6th. Shanghai 9th, Hongkong 15th, Singapore 22ud March, was received, vid Brindisi, on the 21st with a week's later dates-as above-came in on the 27th April. The Japan advices by both.

the 13th April, one day early." Business with the Far East, says the Express's and although 40s in full is the nominal rate,

Rear-Admiral John Corbett, C.B., who has gustody. The Inespector then came. cussed by the British Ministry, though the been selected for the command of the East Indies Station, entered the navy in 1836. As him a very indifferent character. Midshipman be served in the Garysfort through.

until promoted to flag rank,

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LONDON. Sist May. RUMOURED PRACE NEGOTIATIONS. There are vague ramours of peace negotiations

being opened through the mediation of Ger-ALSIGE AND LOBEAINE. Alsace and Lorraine are being reinforced.

ART IN HOSPITALS. TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS. Srm: - All who have any acquaintance with the interior of our London Hospitals, must have been struck by the excessive dreariness of most of the wards. It is time that this should be remedied. A little energy on the part of a few philanthropists and artists, aided by subscriptions from the general public, would suffice to accomplish this improvement. I advocate the brightening of the wards and

the cheering of their inmates, by the addition of suitable pictures, plate, bronzes, carvings, brig-à-brac, old armour, china, sculpture, ornamental clocks, fancy glass, tasteful glazed tiles, parquet floors, and other art decorations of all sorts, that combine art with bygiene and Later, two models will be exhibited to the

public, one to show the asual sick-ward, the other others, boarding house runners, with boarding small; the teas are 20 to 25, per cent, cheaper to represent the use of art in the various kinds | the steamship Diomed, from Singapore, before | than last year; they may improve on the passage; In due time, I trust that some public place | noon. to bend and fit the ropes, lines, cables, anchor, will be granted for the temporary storing and i exhibiting of art contributions, prior to their around the vessel, but he only succeeded in picul, so far, for what they have sold.—As a

guineas to the committee of the "Art Fund caught them coming down by their books, probably arrive in London about the lat July; for the Hospitals of London. Pray generously grant this project the infinence of your moral support. The question of manufacturing a coin for | Your suggestions, as to the most effective way to execute this scheme, will be gratefully

received by—Yours obediently. J. LAWRENCE HAMILUTON: Yakoob Beg, of Kashgar, is reported to be |34, Gloucester Torrace, Hyde Park, London W.

SUPREME COURT. June 2nd.

IN ADMIRALTY BEFORE THE HON, CHIEF JUSTICE SIE

JOHN SMALE. IN RE THE "BOSINA." -- MOTION FOR THE SIGNING OF A DECREE FOR THE _ SALE OF THE VESSEL.

The Attorney-General, instructed by Messrs. Sharp, Toller, and Johnson, appeared for the promovants, Messrs. Adamson, Bell & Co., the holders of a bottomry bond endorsed over to rusalem" Subscription Room as having arrived. | them by Mr. Prell, of Sydney, in whose favour it was given by the master, Captain Hansen, for whom Mr. Kingsmill, instructed by Mr. Den- boarding the steamship Diomed, and the second a few days since one of the most active and use- years, or that it be put up to public ancnys, now appeared intervening.

The Attorney General continued his argu-

contended that no question of American law arose in the case: that the captain had per sonally bound himself to pay the holders of the bond, not only to the extent of wh might be due to him from the ship, but the extent of the whole of his personal estate 80 far as it would go, and he, of course, had his rights of recovery from the owner. Had be not thus contracted himself out of it, he would have had priority over the bond for a certain amount of his claim, but not for the whole of it, as he claimed wages for an unconscionable time. The Messre. Ashton and Co. have issued a circular, Admiralty jurisdiction, and the less loci, therefore, must prevail in the decision of this claim

and not the nationality of the vessel. His Lordship asked the learned Attorney if J. Gilman), who has for some years been a that contention would hold good in case the contract were made on board the resect. . The Attorney General said his contention was that it would, as, although vessels carried their nationality with them for certain purposes The price of Bar Silver has declined, in re- into foreign ports, they did not in such a case as this. It was only vessels of war that were regardindia, and transactions have been effected at ed as absolutely the territory of the country to 54ld. to 54ld. per oz. The market is now which they belonged, and in the present case the bottomry bond must be looked upon in the same light as a bill of exchange would be, given in this harbour on a foreign vessel. His Lordship said he remembered a case in

which the officers of that court had been kicked over the side of a vessel in this harbour, and moreover, it was a Messagerie vessel, which, by an unfortunate clouse in the treaty, had the status of a man-of-war. The Attorney-General said he remembered case of that kind in which the action was brought by a Chief Justice to recover for damage to his luggage on a Messagerie boat. His Lordship said it was by a great stretch of courtesy on the part of England that the Mes-

The Attorney-General postponed citing cases on the point raised by his Lordship, and said The Detached Squadron, under the command | that with regard to the bearing of American law Ascension on March 29th, and left for St. Vin- that the master was not precluded from entering Hongkong, when a gallant young officer (Mr. | the same position. The learned Attorney cited The further hearing was then adjourned until | balf-past ten to-day.

> POLICE INTELLIGENCE. 2nd June. BEFORE JAMES RUSSELL, Esq.

FREAKS OF A SOLDIER Patrick McDonald, a private in H.M. 28th Regiment, was charged with drunkenness and disorderly conduct and with assaulting a boatwoman named Ashup. The boatwoman said she took six marines

from the Government Wharf to a man-of-war, and the prisoner, being drunk, wanted to go up her that if she chose to replace Turkey as the mails have been anticipated by those received, also, but the marines refused to allow him. The wid San Francisco: on the 17th April. The prisoner then told her to take him to Kowloon, next inward (P. and O.) mail, bringing dates and having got a little distance he made a request Yokohama 20th, Shangbai 23rd, Hongkong she could not comply with, and told him to go on 29th March, Singapore 5th April, which was shore for what he wanted. He thereupon set due, vid Brindisi-on the 7th May, left Galle on to beating her with a stick. She called out, and a police-boat came to ber assistance. Police Sergeant Lai Amoon said, hearing the ory of save life, he went in the direction and found the prisoner beating the last witness threatened war in the East of Europe, is at with a stick. He told the prisoner to come present much restricted, and the exports are into his boat, but he refused, and would not be email, although the Deutsche Dampischiffs Rhe- arrested, so he told the woman to make fast her. I boat to his and he would tow it to the Police one at the end of this, and the other on the 10th Chop. He had not got far before the prisoner ing to return to duty, he would recommand Last autumn a French silk merchant at Canton of Asistic politics it would be premature to ever, that she intends to protect her interests of next, month. But this may not be regarded got hold of the woman and threw her into the complainant to try them for a week. as a sign of liveliness, but the company, baving water. He immediately turned round and was The prisoners were then told that they would sure of the silk guild, and forthwith all native the scene of Afghan affaire. His friendfive of its boats in or near Europe, only intends kjust in time to save ber. This was near the tog be remanded until the 8th instant, to see bow. to have them a little better distributed, and steamer Fame. The rest of the inmates of the they would behave themselves. ready to make use of the rates of freight in | bont then came into his boat, leaving the prisoner lia and China, which, by the last reports from clone in the sampan. The captain of the Fame ilongkong, are on the rise. In our port cargo told him to make the sampan fast to his vessel is scarce, rates of freight are quite nominal, and and at once go for assistance. He went for stealing five large copper nails and a small piece it must be admitted that the assumption of no doubt the best sailing tonnage would be pro- Inspector Grimes, who came, but on returning of sheet copper valued at 35 cents. the protectorate of Egypt would require grave curable at 20c. per ton. Steam is in accordance, found the prisoner in the custody of P.C. Zworg. P.C. Zworg said that in pulling near the Fame labour. bis attention was drawn to the prisoner alone in the hoat by the captain. He took him into-

The Magistrate told the prisoner that through

Ho was fined \$10; in the fault, twenty-one the Fung Hing Hong, and \$100 from the em-DISHONEST SERVANTS.

tomatoes, and the prisoper's friend took them | elected Directors for the ensuing year.

away. On the 25th the same friend came and pulled about five or six outtles of bestroot and not want to carry sway wood and was not pre- annoying to ships eager to be off. vented by him from doing so.

at the Yow mah tee Market.

25th May he saw the prisoner's friend carry Daily News. away ten catties of beet root and the prisoner sent him to sell them. He came forward and complained only because his master threatened to out his wages. The prisoner was told that although he was responsible for the loss of vegetables, he must

be discharged for want of evidence. GREEDY MOARDING HOUSE BUNNERS.

the vessel on the other side.

and Singapore, and in fact on board of all vessels whole crop which takes months to soil. Yet, and boiling bonses. In this year the revenue on board. They go on board in great crowds and continue to be remunerative, there will be no commence pulling the passengers boxes about short supply of second-orop. the deck and fighting amongst themselves. The disturbance is often so great that it impedes it has been for some years, if teel price is any the carrying out of the captain's orders in the guide; the only thing to be feared is the effect \$1,950,000. In Hongkong about Tla. 648,000 mooring of the vessel. There were about forty of the first crop being forwarded as quickly as boats hanging on to the Diomed, and causing last year. 166,000 chests have been settled to

Inspector Grimes said that fines were of no on Sunday."-N. C. Daily News. use, they were always paid at once and the runners immediately go and commit the same offence again, showing that great profits are made and the fines inflicted are not headed. ment in reply to that of Mr. Kingsmill. He and admitted to bail in the sum of \$5 each. day and admitted to bail.

> and-saw the prisoner come out with the basket - Daily News Correspondents ---of flowers. He seized him, and the prisoner tried to stab him in the face with a clasp knife he had open in his band. He wrestled with him to get the knife from him, and the prisoner got his face grazed. The prisoner and another

prisoner; the other man was fined \$1 for unlawful possession. Mr. Thompson, overseer at the cemeters said he had missed flowers very often from the cemetery and always suspected the prisoner. hard labour.

man were charged a short time ago with

similar offence, but it was not proved against

TRESPASSING. Mr. J. Emanuel, partner in the firm of Messrs Spratt & Co., charged a dirty looking cooli named Low Akui, with trespasing on the pre mises of the firm at Wanchi, for supposed unlawful purposes. As the prisoner was not exactly found on the premises, and as it was doubtful whether be was the man seen before ie was discharged.

James Gibb, a seaman residing at the Sailors Home, was charged by chair coolie 409 with refusal to pay chair, hire he being drunk. The prisoner was ordered to pay the coolies

John Porter a seaman residing at the Sailors

Home was charged by P. C. J. White with being

drunk and incapable. He was fined \$1. IMPUDENT CHIRESE SERVANTS. Ng Apoo and Ng Akew, chair coolies, were charged by their master, a European gentleman, with refusing to work. \$12 per month. This morning they refused to in China. But of all the difficulties with which work, alleging that they had been ill-treated, the foreign merchant out here has to contend Yesterday was mail day, and he had occasion to | there is none more formidable to him than that go out in a harry to effect an insurance. The afforded by the native guilds. These powerful

the arm and asked him why he was so studid.

they should act thus as that was the only time he

The Mugistrate remarked that new coolies -would-perhaps be weree, and so they were will

them back after this behavour.

was charged by Thos, Bastain, a watchman, with

it is said-to-costs Tls. 470 to 480. The owner

SHANGHAI.

ployes of the same bong, for the Shantung the guilds.

The Wuhn Contoms, however, is bound to red every domand made by the guilds, or they will In reply to the Court, witness said the reason | tape practices. Witness the following illustra- eventually be driven out of China. A stand why he did not let his master know on the 20th | tion! One of the river steamers lately took up ought to be made: in the Treaty ports the interand 25th was because it was no basiness of his. a cask of soda water and a box of medicine ference of the foreign Ministers should be in-He was only a coolie, and the prisoner was the for the community. The tide-waiter was asked voked; in the Colony of Hongkong that of "the gardener. He did not know what the prisoner's to take them on shore, but as they were upon Government. The guilds ought to be profriends did with the vegetables. He did not the ships' manifest his instructions would not secuted on a charge of intimidation when they know whether they weresold in the Yow-mah. allow him to do this, it being necessary in such seek to rule a firm in order to serve their cases for an officer of the ship to go on shore, purpose or gratify their spite. Some action in Low Ahoi, also a coolin employed by Mr. enter the vessel and clear her; and as in this the matter should certainly be taken without Millar, said he saw the prisoner's friend on the case the steamer, happened to be late, with a loss of time, for the evil has become a crying 20th May collect twenty to thirty outlies of ship in tow; this could not be done. So the one. Tuere is, of course, one cogent remedy, tomatoes and the prisoner sent him to sell them cargo had to be taken on, and the Commissioner anmely, to meet combination with combination, and the community had to wait till it could be but the want of unanimity among foreigners Mr. Millar said it was imposible for 20 to 30 returned from Kinkiang! If the things had renders that impracticable. It is the old story catties to be produced from the plants in his been sent up under care of the captain, and not -Chinese combination and foreign competition put upon the manifest, the careful tide-waiter are gradually cutting away the ground from The witness, continuing evidence, said on the could have landed them in his boat. -N. C. under the feet of the latter. The evidences of

HANKOW. business continues to be done daily in ten; the favours the supposition that the tenchings of 50 Chasses who have arrived seem to be in a experience are lost upon them.—China Overland feverial state of excitement to buy up all the Trade Report. first-oron teas as quickly as possible, on the ground that there is no finest tea on offer, and P.O. smidt charged Chan Aping and twelve the total supplies of that description will be very she came to her moorings, on Friday after. the Foochow market may not open soon, &c., &c. The Chinese teamen are said to have made a The constable said there were forty boats very good profit—from Tls. 3 to Tls. 10 per capturing two of the bosts containing the pri, matter of fact, the Loudoun Castle and Gleneagles, As a nucleus, I contribute one hundred sours. They had all been on board and he with 54 million pounds of this season's tea, will and no doubt a very fair quantity out of their cargoes will be offered at public auction " with-P.C. Young said that, as he went up the star- out reserve," and knock-down the market 2d. or from opium reached £12,412. In 1869 atboard elde, the runners, about thirty, went over 3d. before any important public cales can be tached to the license were clauses regulating the port side. He knew all the prisoners to be made. The dearly bought experience of last the thickness of wall, the construction of runners. These people creates great disturbance year seems to be entirely forgotten, and people chimney breasts, and the formation of boods of the thickness of wall, the construction of boods of the thickness of wall, the construction of boods of the thickness of wall, the construction of boods of the thickness of wall, the construction of boods of the thickness of wall, the construction of boods of the thickness of wall, the construction of boods of the thickness of wall, the construction of boods of the thickness of wall, the construction of boods of the thickness of wall, the construction of boods of the thickness of wall, the construction of boods of the thickness of wall, the construction of boods of the thickness of wall, the construction of the thickness of wall walls are the thickness of wal

> Another letter says :- "Tea is cheaper than date. The Turtar and Glenariney will be away

25th May. This morning, the citizens of Chefoo wave boiled, consumed in Hongkgong, and exported The case was remanded until Monday, and bowed in grief as they assembled to take the from the island, but they suggest that the Gothe prisoners were admitted to bail in \$10 each. last farewell of the remains of the late Dr. J. R. vernment take the monopoly into its own hand Two more runners and two boat people were Carmichael. It seems almost impossible that and one or more boiling establishments, or that harged by P.C. Young, the first and third with the Doctor, in the prime of life, and until only they extend the monopoly for periods of three and fourth with obstructing the vessel by hang- ful in our midst, shall be with us no longer, tion. At the present time the annual reing on. They were also remanded until Monday ! For some time, in addition to his foreign practive unue is 8125.500. and there are seventytice, the Doctor has spent hours of each day in eight licensed shops. Dr. Dudgeon concludes Chun Tim Kwai and six others, boarding the Fever Hospital, doing his utmost to alleviate his letter as follows :-- This model colony house runners, were charged by P.C. Young suffering and save the lives of the friendless and of burs-a beacon of civilisation to the with attempting to board the steamship Douglas | helpless Chinese who have fled here from the benighted Chinese, only distant from the mainon her arrival from Swatow. The constable famine districts. Nothing seemed to give him land of China about a rifle shot—and destined to said their boats caused a great obstruction and more joy than the fact that he had the daily give proof of our immense superiority, recognised prisoners were in the not of boarding the vessel evidence of being successful both in relieving only very recently the three vices to which the when he arrested them. Remanded until Mon. pain and in saving life. He knew the danger Chinese are specially addicted, viz., gambling, to which he was exposed, and often spoke of it; opinm-smoking, and the social evil. These are STEALING FLOWERS FROM THE CEMETERY. but he did it obserfully, and continued until he regulated by our Colonial Government, carried Li Afoo, a gardener at the Protestant Ceme- fell'a martyr in his zeal to save others. Ten on in houses conspicuously marked as being tery, was charged by P. C. Grimble with the days ago, he was stricken down with fever; under Government licence, and all contributing unlawful possession of a basket of plucked yesterday, his spirit departed. He had endeared more or less toward the Colonial revenue. The bimself to many hearts which are now sad at first of the foul trio happily now no longer The constable said he had seen the prisoner the thought of having lost a true friend. In exists. Strong pressure from our countrymen almost daily with a basket of flowers, but he did the most quiet manner possible, he was unweat in the colony itself and Britons in China genernot know where he procured them from. He ried in his efforts to aid, so far as possible, all ally, compelled our home Government to abanknew him to be a gardener at the cemetery that needed help. Chefoo has lost one of its don this source of revenue. The gambling and, in disguise, witness watched at the gate oldest and most respected residents. - N. C.

THE TRADE IN HUMAN HAIR. The trade in human hair continues to increase at Marseilles, and has now become a stable have led the Colonial authorities to this direct article of commerce in that ony. Bix or seven | contradiction of all that the Chinese held to be years ago the annual quantity imported did not sacred duty on the part of their rulers." exceed sixteen tons, but it had increased in 1873 to fifty and in 1875 to eighty tons. It was thought this total would never be exceeded, but the returns for 1876 have already falsified the prediction, as during the past year ninety-two a contemporary, without knowing the terms of tons were registered as having arrived at Mar. | the "political and commercial treaty" made seilles. Formerly all the hair imported into with Russia in July 1876. In 1872, at Yacobb Marseilles came from Italy, but that country Beg's request, the Governor-General of Turkehas-been unable to meet the increasing demand, and a brink trade has been opened with the and Baron Kanlbars, and a purely commercial extreme East. Thus of the ninety-two tons treaty was signed. At first Yacoob was inimported last year, forty-three came from Italy, clined to prolong the negotiations, but the Ruswhile China supplied thirty-six, Turkey five, and sian Ambassador curtly told him either to sign Japan three tons, the remainder being made up | the treaty at once, or dismiss the embassy. Belgium, and Algeria. The total quantity of hair imported into France last years is estimated at 122 tons, value £180,000, so that Marseilles,

with ninety-two tons, has three-fourth of the trade in her own hands.

QUILDS IN CHINA. The obstacles to a free and unrestricted trade n China are many and various. The verations and illegal imposts with which the officials manage to fetter it, the numerous sobemes devised by them to shirk treaty obligations, and the selfish, grasping spirit of the native morchapts combine to try the patience and diminish The prosecutor said he engaged the coolies at | the profits of foreigners engaged in commerce prisoners went along at a slow, stupid pace. On | and most tyrannical organisations are to be coming out of the office again he took one by found in every branch of trade in every centre of commerce in the Central Kingdom. They The prisoners said they were assaulted, the exercise an arbitrary influence over the native second by a blow in the side. They would go to | dealers, and are able, in most cases, to enforce their work again on the condition that they | their dicta upon foreign merchants. In some places they are able to bring considerable pres- follows :- In Asia there are at the present The prosecutor denied that he struck either sure to bear upon the authorities and this moment three prominent individuals known as of the prisoners. He did not consider be did secounts for many of the concessions which the Yakoob Khan; so that when a contemporary any wrong by placing his hand on the arm and native merchants have obtained, by which announced the other day that "Yakoob Beg.

the foreign hongs in case they should oppose I Takoob Beg.

the guild in the matter. It is now matter of In order, presumably, to give the new port notoriety how this infamous attempt at dictacarried it away. The prisoner was present all a semblance of doing business, oceangoing tion; backed by insolent threats, proved successthe time. On the 29th the prosecutor said his steamers from Hankow have to stop at Wubu, ful. Some of the foreign inerchants gave way, to cut their wages, and seeing that his wages pass during the night, as they must go on the is triumphant and its example will no doubt be were going to be out he informed on the opposite side of the river, this may probably followed by other guilds. The question arises, involve a delay of two or three hours—not much, bow are foreign merchants to protect themselves In reply to the prisoner, witness said he did perhaps out of a voyage to England, but still from the malice of these organisations? It will not do for them to go on aubmitting to this fact ought to be sufficiently apparent to make them resolve to act more wisely for the future, but it must be confessed that the action A private letter from Hankow says :- A large of the foreign cotton merchants of Hongkong

THE HONGKONG OPIUM FARM.

Dr. Dudgeon, in a latter to the N. B. Daily

Mail, attacks the system of granting licenses for

the sale of prepared opium in force in Hongkong. He states that in 1258 an ordinance was passed making the sale of crude onium entirely free and that of prepared opium a strict monopoly. The highest tender offered was \$33,965, which was accepted. Our Government officers were in the public paper of that day aboused of taking bribes of the Chinese, and it would appear that opium had poisoned the morality of both Chingse and Europeans. In 1861 the revenue reached \$108.660, and the Registrar-General remarks. "A large business has been done in prepared opium, the export to Australia and alifornia reaching an aggregate of about Tla. 2,562,000 in weight, amounting in value to weight was purchased." In 1872 a Commission was appointed to inquire into the working of monopoly. The object in view was apparently simply to ascertain whether a sufficient amount was paid by the monopolists towards the colonial The Commissioner, were, however, unable to ascertain the precise amount of opium gains. I believe still lie at Hongkong, no one daring to touch the dirty money. The other two evils are still under the direct patronage of the Government. Nothing but the most

 ${f KASHGAR}$ One cannot predict the fate of Kashgar, save ston sent an embassy to Kashgar under Captain importations from Egyps, India, Germany, Russia then obtained the rights of free entrance for her merchants and transit for her merchandize, of having store-houses, and of appointing Consule, and besides this, the trade duties were reduced to a uniform rate of 24 per cent. ad valorem. The results of last year's mission, as far as we known, have never been published; but it is quite possible that some arrangement, was made in view of the near approach of the Chinese army. This belief is supported by the fact that a Russian officer is n Kasbgar especially to watch the operations. At the same time it is clear that Yacoob Khan not trusting to the Russians alone. The despatch of an envoy to the Indian Government and to the Porte shows that he is aware of the situation in Eastern Europe. Oriental diplomany is so intrinate, bowever, that one cannot hope to understand Yacoob's real hopes and intentions. He has a hard part to play just now; and not even he himself, could say with certainly what the next move will be .- Times or

lamentable ignorance of the Chinese mind could

YAKOOB KHAN

A correspondent of the Standard writes as

asking them why they were so slow and stopid, foreigners have been placed at a disadvantage the Prince of Kashgar," was coming to England just at a time he wanted them most to be quick, and in some cases even sbut out of all participa. I those who were not aware who the individual When he came out of the insurance office and tion in the inland traffic. One of the guilds up named was must have supposed that it was the before be had spoken or rebuked them in any north, for instance, farmed the right to issue ruler of Kashgar himself in person. As this way, they were lounging on a door step some transit passes, and then refused to grant them point should be made clear, especially as we distance away smoking their long pipes. When to any but native dealers. In numerous in shull in all probability be hearing a great deal they saw him they made no burry to come to stances have these monopolising and domineer- of these "Lord Jacobs" for the next few years, him, but came at their leisure, and getting hold ing bodies gained privileges for their members it may be as well to state clearly who they are. of the chair they refused to give it the usual tilt and managed to exclude foreign merobants | Firstly, there is Yakoob Khan, the eldest son of to enable him to get in. He could not see why from any share in the trade with the interior. | Shere All of Aighanistan, who has for many These Chinese guilde have acquired a giant's | years been at fend with his father because he had used the chair all day, and that was only strength and they do not besitate to use it like had been supplanted in that potentate's affecfor a few minutes. He did not care to take a giant. Should any one be so bold as to dare tions by a much younger half-brother. At the to resist their decisions, or to attempt to dis- present moment he is in honourable confinepute the roles by which they seek to govern ment, and his name is seldom mentioned; but trade, he is at once marked out for vengeance. | considering his abilities and the unsettled state was unfortunate enough to inour the displan- suppose that he has disappeared altogether from silk dealers were forbidden, under heavy penal, ship to the English cause is also another reason ties, to have transactions with the offending why we should think of him with commisera-Ganl, who was thus prevented from operating | tion. The second of this name, and the greatest, Wong Aon, a carpenter at the Aberdeen Docks, in the market. He wisely took his case to the is Mahomed Yakoob Khan, or Beg, as he is French Consul, who laid it before the local new styled, the Emir of Kashgar. He is the authorities, whereupon they issued a proclama, best known, tool in Europe, while in the eyes of tion declaring such a combination to be con. Asiatics be is their greatest representative He was sentenced to fourteen days' hard trary to the treaty and ordering the members throughout the Khanates of either Turkestan. of the guild to resume business with the Some-years ago he was awarded for his French merchant. But it is seldom that orthodoxy as a Museulman the title of Attalik

foreigners come off victorious in their strug- Ghazi, and for some years he was generally - Thirty or forty bales of new senson's silk give with the guilds; frequently in Hongkong known as such; but his old name has again re-The captain of the prisoner's company gave (Mountain Chop) arrived on the 28th ultimo; the latter make their weight felt in a most un. vived, and he is now usually spoken of as pleasant manner. If a native merchant has a Yakoob Beg. The third is Seyvid Yakoob Khan. The prisoner said be was drunk, and did not does not intend to offer it at present on this grievance, real or fancied, he can generally get nephew of the Emir of Kashgar, and his most market .- On the 2nd June, last year, the same his guild to esponse his quarrel and suspend busi. trusted emissary. It was of this highly inchop was sold at 14s. 11d. against about 22s. ness with the foreigner until the claim is settled. telligent and genial Asiatic that the telegraphic This mode of procedure is only too common, message made mention; for he was sent to We are requested to acknowledge \$500 from and it is a great pity some means cannot be Constantinople by his master to congratulate found by foreigners to resist the dictation of the recent Sultan on his accession to power, although we cannot doubt that, like the skilled Relief Fund. The same has been paid to the The difficulty is, in connection with the in diplomat that he is, he altered his message so as Mr. Andrew Millar oberged his gardener, Hou Treasurer Mr. G. Glover. Also, Tla. 95.90 jurious combinations and the attempts at in to make it gratifying to the present occupant of position lineareally, and that such a lively under the supervision of interest is taken in its attains by the members of the property as a recently as recently Hongkong, and it is essential that care should believe the interior and two porches. A thing un- Inferible, which he commanded with distinction of the area of the commanded with distinction of the commanded wit usual in Catholic churches, the interior appears in the Canton River against the Chinese in all the prisoner did, gave him some information, the Gas-bolder loan during the current year, guild was the action recently taken by the discover the real condition and prospect of the be taken to preserve these which are available, to be severely simple, owing no doubt to the 1857, and was promoted to Captain for his ser- and from what they said be gave the preserve those which are available, to be severely simple, owing no doubt to the 1857, and was promoted to Captain for his ser-

know what he was doing. out the operations of 1840 on the coast of Syria, At the Marine Magistrate's Court, on Satur, including the bombardment of St. Jean d'Acre day, Captain Wood, of the steamship Cuphrenes, and the blockade of Alexandria, for which he his drunkenness he had very nearly committed cost price this year. was fined \$1 for having no riding-light. received the war medal with clasp and the Turi manelenghter. St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Chapel was kish medal. Passing his examination in June, Honorong, June 4th, 1877. daye' hard labour. opened for service yesterday morning, but with- 1842, he was appointed in 1843 to the Queen, in out the usual ceremony of Consecration, the the Mediterranean. He was promoted to Lieu-The Victoria Recreation Club is a very valu- blessing having taken place privately. The tenant May 4th, 1846, being next appointed in able institution, and it is satisfactory to find design for the chapter, which is in English Gothic July, 1847, to the Venysance. After obtaining Lev-Akum, with stealing his vegetables from have been received from Yokohama on the same timidation of the Chinese guilde, to get hold of the Turkish throne. He has now, we learn, from the report submitted to the members of the fourteenth century, was furnished by the big Commander's commission, February, 1852, the garden at Kowleon, account, as the balance of previous collections; anything tangible. Circulars on red paper are presented a document to the Sultan from big anything tangible. Circulars on red paper are presented a document to the Sultan from big anything tangible. Circulars on red paper are presented a document to the Sultan from big anything tangible. Circulars on red paper are presented a document to the Sultan from big anything tangible. Circulars on red paper are presented a document to the Sultan from big and Tls 300 have been paid in from an amony. Printed and sent round to the members, but mater, acknowledging his auterainty to the mous friend.

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The Club has now happily recovered from absence of fands, there being no attempt at vices in the war. Since that time be has comthe disastrous effects of the typhoon of 1874, of which are carried on light spandtise of the coke account, through desciones in chopped dollars. Circulars were, it will of be compatively and was last supplyed in the coke account, through desciones in chopped dollars. Circulars were, it will of be compatively and was last supplyed in the coke account, through desciones in chopped dollars. Circulars were, it will of be compatively and was last supplyed in the coke account, through desciones in chopped dollars. Circulars were, it will of be compatively and was last supplyed in the coke account, through desciones in chopped dollars. Circulars were, it will of be compatively and was last supplyed in the coke account, through desciones in chopped dollars. Circulars were, it will of be compatively and was last supplyed in the coke account, through desciones in chopped dollars. Circulars were, it will of be compatively and was last supplyed in the coke account, through desciones in chopped dollars. Circulars were, it will of be compatively and was last supplyed and was last supplyed. Chun Aloy, a copile, said he was contingent in the quantities delivered, and to meet these be remembered, distributed among the national receiving a very warm reception at our land was a contingent in the contingen

Post-Office Notifications. Vessels on the Berth. Vessels Advertised as Loading. ARRIVAL OF THE ENGLISH MAIL. MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC NOTES. A marl will close The Vienness and the Scandinavian public NOTICE. The P. & O. Co.'s steamer Teheran Captain For Shanghai .- Per Teheran, to-day, the have discovered that Trebelli-Bettini is as great TO BE DESPATCHED FOR FREIGHT APPLY TO CAPTAIN VESSEL'S NAME 4th instant, at 11 A.M. Late letters received an artist as La Patti. London critics have A. H. Johnson, from Bombay 14th, Gallo DESTINATION COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES Olst, Poneng Obto, and Singapore Osth all., -11-10 to 11-10 A.M. For Shaughai. Per Gordon Castle, to-uay PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. Signor Palbo, who is to sing at Her Majesty with the London mails of the 27th April the 4th instant, at 11.30 A.M. this year, was known a few seasons back as Mi For Swatow Per Feronia, to-day, the 4th Hugh Talbot Brennan, a fine amateur. He has arrived here on Saturday afternoon. The STEAM FOR instant, at 1.30 P.M. done well on the operatio stage in Italy." AIGON SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT subjoined telegrams are taken from the Strails For Seigon. To-day, the 4th inst., at 5 P.M. Mr. Mallandaine has set Mr. Tennyson's DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ. ISMALIA, Butterfield & Swire On or about 5th inst. For Kiungchow .- Per Penedo, to-morrow, "Harold' as a five-not opera, the adaptation by Times :-LONDON, vid SUEZ CANAL Glancus (str.) PORT SAID, NAPLES, AND HAMBURG, &c...... Feronia (atv.)......... Stultz............ Hongkong Wm. Pustau & Co..... On or about 18th inst. the 5th instant, at 4.30 P.M. SIMLA, 7th May. Mr. A. Matthison. The work will be produced MARSEILLES: For Bangkok .- Fer Danube, to morrow, the in the new opera house erecting at Leicester. The Persian troops are concentrating on Mo-BOMBAY, MAHE, ST. DENIS, AND PORT | 5th instant, at 5 P.M. NEW YORK Mr. Augustus Harrie, so long popular as a hummirs on the Karnoon river near Bussorah, Sayor Hongkong Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.......... Qnick despatch. stage-manager, has made a successful début as apparently as a demonstration against Bagdad. MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. an actor in "The Pink Dominos," He will in A British gunboat has gone to Bussorah to Guest Hongkong Olyphant & Co...... ON SATURDAY, the 9th June, 1877, at Noon, the Company's Steamship future combine acting with stage management. | watch British interests. The French Contract Packet "AVA" will Floorwing AN FRANCISCO via Y HAMA Alaska (str.)..... M. Paul Viardat, a violinist, the son of Madame ALLAHABAD, 8th May. he despatched from Hongkong on SATUR-0; & O. S. Co... ...On 19th inst., at 3 P.M. ... Belgic (atr.) Visrdot-Garcia, and M. De Beriot, a planist, a The discontent in eastern Cabul is increasing, "A TA." Commandant HERNANDEZ, with DAY, the 9th June, with Mails to and Stanton Hongkong Vogel, Hagodorn & Co........ Quick despatch. son of Mulibran and M. De Berlot, will be and threatens an exodus into British territory. MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE. Madura..... through the United Kingdom and Europe, vid T. Roberts Hongkong Vogel, Hagedorn & Co........ Quick despatch. amongst the new artists heard in London this The Home despatch on the Faller case is ex-CARGO, will leave this Port for the above Marseilles; to Saigon, Singapore, Batavia, pected to be published shortly. The Vicercy SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE ... lielens Galle, Australia, New Zealand, Tanmania, Fiji, Colliver Quick despatch. don as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in Aden, Seychelles, Réunion, Mauritius, Suez, MELBOURNE AND SYDNEY ... Novelty One evening at the opera in Dublin a gentle- keeps the Queen's Birthday on the 26th. A. Clanchy Hongkong Yuen Fat Hong On 6th inst., at daylight. BOMBAY, 10th Mav. BANGKOK......Danube (str.)..... transit through Marseilles for the principal for forwarding Correspondence to E. Africa, the places of Europe. man sarcastically asked a man standing in front Mon Hing Chan To-day. of him if he was aware that he was opaque. The Times' Belgrade correspondent calculates SINGAPORE AND PENANG Pearl (str.)..... other denied the allegation, and said that he the strength of the Turkish army at 300,000 places of Europe. Unpe, St. Helenn, and Ascension. Messageries Maritimes...... On 9th inst., at noon. .Hornandez Shipping Orders will be granted till noon, men, viz., 100,000 for the Danabe and Balkans, SAIGON, SINGAPORE, &c..... Ava (str.) Letters may also be forwarded to India by Hongkong P. & O. S. N. Co...... To-day, at noon. A comic opera, bearing the grotesque title, to 80,000 for Asia Minor and the Greek frontier, Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. SHANGHAI......Toberan (etr.) Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M. on the 8th | this Packet. Pitman Hongkong Douglas Lapraik & Co......... To-morrow, at noon. SWATOW, AMOY & FOOOHOW Douglas (str.)..... English cars, of "Sir Williams," bas just been 30,000 for Servia, Montenegro, and Austrian The following will be the hours of closing the produced at Brussels with success. M. Coveliers frontier, and 90,000 in reserve. The Russian June, 1877. (Parcels are not to be sent HOIHOW......Penedo (atr.)..... on board; they must be left at the Agency's Mails, &c. is responsible for the name and words, and M. Invalide, however, estimates the Turkish regu-FRIDAY, 8th June. Office.) Contents and value of Packages are 5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. Post lars at possibly 443,000 men. There is a great Colyns furnishes the music. The Vienna papers state that Madame Patti excitement in Montenegro, Greece, and Crete. Office closes except the NIGHT BOX. and Signor Nicolini are to go to Hungary and Mussulman risings against the Russians are For further particulars, apply at the Comwhich remains open all night. be married there according to the rites of the reported from Central Asia. Damy's Office. SATURDAY, 9th June. Greek Church. Hungarian marriages are the The Athenaum states that an important H. DU POUEY, 7 A.M., Post Office opens for sale of SALES ON JUNE 2ND, AS REPORTED BY Vessels on the Berth. native paper is to be started in Calcutta under COOLIES IN THE WEST INDIES. Stamps, Registry of Letters, and Postmodera substitute for Gretna Green. The Atheneum says that Mr. Wilford Morgan, the suspices of Lord Lytton, to be called the On the 20th instant Mr. Thomas Blake, M.P., Hongkong, 28th May 1877. ing of all correspondence. Dried Lily Flowers-5 bugs, at \$14.00, by 10 A.M., Registry of Letters ceases.
11 A.M., Post Office closes except for Late introduced a deputation from the Anti-Slavery STEAM TO SHANGHAI. the tenor, has completed a secred cantata, enti- Empire. Kwong Wo Uheung to travelling trader. U. S. MAIL LINE. tled "Christian the Pilgrim; or, the Pilgrim's We are informed that full and detailed in- Society to Lord Carnaryon (with whom were THE P. &. O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Vermicelli-50 bags, at \$8.00, by Kwong Wo Progress," Bunyan's story in a condensed form structions have come from the Home Govern- Sir A. Musgrave and Mr. Herbert), at the Chaung to travelling trader. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY. having been arranged by Mr. Arthur Matthison. ment to the Government of India to send a force | Colonial office, representing the coloured populations · "TEHERAN!" 11.10.A.M., Letters (but Letters only) except Black Pepper-100 bags, at \$7.75, by Hop The Madrid Italian Opera House has recently from this country to occupy Egypt in the event lation of Jamuica, on the subject of cooling will leave for the above place at Noon TO-- those to and through Australia, may lest by death two of its conductors, Senor Oudrid, of certain contingencies arising. What those labour. Mr Edmund Sturge, Mr. Alexander Hing to travelling trader.

a Spaniard, and M. Skoozdopole, a Polish musicinn, who, for some seasons, was the chef judging from Mr. Secretary Cross's speech in Chesson, Mr. James Henderson, and the Rev. to travelling trader.

Chesson, Mr. James Henderson, and the Rev. Company Company Company Company Chesson, Mr. James Henderson, and the Rev. Company Comp THROUGH TO NEW YORKS VIA OVER posted on payment of a Late Fee of DAY, the 4th instant. LAND BAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT ADAM LIND. 18 cents extra postage, until YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO. 11.30 A.M., when the Post Office OLOSES Superintendent. d'orchestre at the Italian Opera House in Paris. the House of Commons the other night, we may J. W. Davios were among the deputation. In Sugar Candy—20 baskets at \$10.20, by Wing.

The New York Herald announces that the be nearer to them than is generally imagined. the speeches made by the members of the deputation. In Man Yuen-to-local trader. 785 Hongkong, 4th June, 1877. THE U.S. Mail Steamer ALASKA will be entirely. site for the new grand opera bouse in New York The army for Egypt would doubtless be made tation it was stated that the expenses of the White Wax-2 pieces, at \$57.00, by Kwong FOR SINGAPORE AND PENANG. despatched for San Francisco, via Yoko-MALLS BY THE UNITED STATES has been acquired, and the plans of the greatest up from each of the Presidencies, and it is not coolis immigration to Jamaica were defrayed Wing Shing to local trader. TRE Stenmsbip hamo, on FRIDAY, the 15th. June, 1877, at have been approved. This is the undertaking unlikely that Sir Neville Chamberlain would be by the peasantry of the island, which already Brown Sugar 800 bags, at \$5.60, by Kwong 3 P.M. taking Passengers and Freight for Ja-"PEARL' projected by Herr Maurice Strakosch. offered the command of the expedition .- Madras | had on ahundant nannlation, quite sufficient for Wing Shing to local trader. The United States' Mail Packet BELGIC pan, the United States, and Europe. dosnatched for the above Ports TOthe cultivation there. There were a large Daigon's Through Passenger Tickets and Bills of will be despatched on LUESDAT, the 10. DAY, the 4th June, instead of the time prenumber of people prepared to work under the Hing to local trader. Lading are issued for transportation to Yoko- June, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, BOMBAY, 11th May. Herr Wagner's "Lobengria" does, not (says viously notified. There were 876 deaths in Bombay last week conditions of fair pay for a fair day's work, and hama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, and the United States, which will be CLOSED the Atheneum) always meet with the success it For Freight or Passage, apply to HONGKONG TEMPERATURE. had in Italian at Bulogua and Triente. At lor at the rate of 68 per mile per annum. 97 to ports in Mexico, Central and South Ame MAN HING CHAN. 2 P.M. Registry of Letters ceases. Turin it was quasi-fiasco, although Signor Com- deaths were from cholera. At Tunna there plain that their money should be used for the FROM MESSES, FALCONER & Co.'s REGISTER. and to New York and Europe, via Overland 835 Hongkong, 31st May, 1877. purpose of introducing the coolies, who really 2,30 P.M. Post Office closes. panini took the titte-part; Signora Pantaleoni | were 100 cases of cholera. June 2rd. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW 2.80 P.M. Correspondence for Japan or the were not wanted, and only became an element LONDON, 12th May. A Steamer of the Mitsu Bishi S.B. Company United States only may be posted An opera comique in one not, entitled "Les Consols 94. Bar Silver 54f. Exchange on of unfair competition, an expense, and a Barometer-I P.K. THE Steamship will leave Shanghai, via the Inland Sea Ports, on board the Packet with Late Fee Piccieuses Ridicules," founded on Molière's India la 8 15-16d. Four per cents 831. Four burden to the community. Lord Carnervon, Thermomoter-9 A.M. about same date, and make close connection at of 12 cents extra Postage, until comedy, has just been produced with success and half per cents 831. Five and half per cents in the course of his reply, said be sew the "DOUGLAS." Thermometer-1 P.W. 2.50 P.M. when the Mail is finally closed. at Toulouse. The libretto is by M. Valladier, 874. Oriental Bank marcs £13 10s. Mercantile importance of the question they had laid Yokobama. Captain Pitman, will be despatched for the At New York, Passengers have selection of Correspondence must be specially directed for above Ports TO-MORROW, the 5th instant, at and the music by M. Mériel, director of the Bank shares £25. Withdrawals from Bank. before him, primarily as regarded Jamaica, Thermonicter-1 r.M. (Wet bulb)...... various lines of steamers to England, France, this route, and if not fully prepaid will be sent and secondly as respected other colonies. For Germany £75,000. Conservatoire at Toulouse. Thermometer-Maximum Of course the question of the criminality Two well-known Italian composers have just | Consols 94. Bar Silver 548. For Freight or Passage, apply to and Germany. by British Packet. Thermometer Minimum (over night)..... DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Letters, &c., can be posted for Canada, the Freight will be received on board until 4P.M. died, Signori Petrella and Fioraventi. Petrella's LONDON, 15th May. which it was said the coolies imported into the West Indies, and other places named below,i on the 14th June. Parcel Packages will be island was a serious matter, and one which his 839 Hongkong, 1st June, 1877. Consols for account 937. Bar Silver 544. best known works are, "Elena di Tolosa," For Sale. received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day; sufficient American stamps are added to prapay "Marco Visconti," and "Gli Precauzioni"; Manchester Market dull; 7 lbs. shirting, ordi- lordship hoped Sir Andrew Musgrave would OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. them from San Francisco to destination. Ameall Parcel Packages should be marked to adwhile Figraventi's famo will live in his mary quality, 6s.; 81lbs. shirtings, ordinary give his attention to as soon as he arrived there. There was a large question how far it was right / UTLER, PALMER & Co.'s rican Stamps are sold at this Office. dress in full; value of same is required. FOR LONDON, vid SUEZ CANAL. "Ritorno," "Robinson Crusoe," and "La quality, 7s. to apply any part of the public funds to the im. The charge for Registry is 8 cents in Hong-Consular Invoices to accompany Overland Dama à il Locoolaio." LONDON, 16th May. CELEBRATED WINES. THE Company's Steamship Cargo should be sent to the Company's Offices kong Stamps and 10 cents in U.S. Stamps to Two ballet girls were nearly burnt to death The British ironolad squadron has arrived at portation of emigrants for the sake of a particular in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector those places only the names of which are print the other night at the Theatre Beaumarchais, Port Said. The Turkish ironclad squadron has class on the island. That was so serious that it "GLAUCUS" We have secured some Excellent Wines and ed in Italics. To all the other places named Paris. Their dresses caught fire as they were bombarded Sonkoum Kaleb and landed troops should be very carefully considered. He could will be despatched on or about the 5th June. of Custome at San Francisco. motory that he wont with those who called it a Cognac of the well known shippore, Curlen, For security's sake, Shippers of Overland correspondence cannot be Registered through, preparing for the dance, but fortunately, thanks there. The Russmus are massing troops near For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. to the presence of mind of their comrades, the Kurs. No news from the seat of war in the majority for the minority. In PALMER & Co., and invite comparison with any Cargo are requested to endorse on the Envelope but only to San Francisco (8 cents). such cases they could not altogether separate the Marks and Nos. of Packages Shipped, to The following are the charges on corresponflames were extinguished in a few seconds. The Dobrudscha. 823 Hongkong, 30th May, 1877. and all other brands. one interest of the community from that of girls, however, were seriously injured, and had ADEN, 16th May. correspond with those in their Bills of Lading. dence thus sent :--FOR BANGKOK. The Cathay with outward mails of 4th May another: for that which benefited one important We have to offer: Per Half Onnce. to be taken to the hospital. For further information as to Passage and interest would generally be found to benefit all Hongkong U.S. A celebrated prima donna, Caroline Unger, left here for Bombay to-day (15th) afternoon. THE Steamship. Per 1 doz. quarte. Freight; apply to the Agency of the Company, Stamps. Stamps. CETION, NUWARA ELIVA, 16th May. Ceylon railroads were being made, costing Cutler, Palmer & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE, \$15 in an indirect way. In the Oroun colony of born in Vienna in 1800, has died lately in Flo-No. 9, Praya Central. "DANUBE." Sir William Hackett, Obief Justice, is at the rence, where she resided after her marriage with Cents. A. Clanchy, Commander, will be despatched for much money, and which would benefit only one Curler, Palmer & Co.'s Hockheimer, \$8.50 RUSSELL & Co.. Frenchman, M. Sabatier. The artiste sang Government Rest-house, dangerously-ill-with Fanada-British-Columbia, New the above Port on WEDNESDAY, the 6th the contraits part. Sontag being the soprano, cholera. The other visitors there have removed particular locality, yet they were paid for by the CUTLER, PALMER & Co.'s CHATEAU | \$12 Brunswick. Nova Scotia. Prince June, at Daylight, instead of as previously noin the quartet of the choral movement of the to the Club. A servent belonging to the Rest. Hongkong, May 24th, 1877. Edward's Island, Vancouver's 12 whole community. Ninth Symphony of Beethoven, when first exe- house, died of cholers on Sunday last. Very Island, Bahamas, Nassau, New OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM. CUTLER, PALMER & CO.'S CHATEAU) For Freight or Passage, apply to cuted in 1822, under the composer's direction. | heavy rain to-day, more than six inches since The gold modal of the French Geographical Providence YUEN FAT HONG. LAROSE SHIP COMPANY. Society has been awarded to Lieutenant Came. lapinwall, Bermuda, Onha, Fiji, 1 10 Mr. Wedmore has retired from the post of this morning. ron, in recognition of his services in the cause TUTLER, PALMER & Co.'s St. JULIEN... \$6 Agents. NUWARA ELIYA, 17th May. dramatic critic of the Academy, and has been Greenland, Jamaica, Panama TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND PAS-Sir William Hackett died about three o'clock 830 Hongkong, 31st May, 1877. Inwali, New Foundland CULLER PALMER & CO.'S CANTENAC ... \$5.5 succeeded by Mr Mov Thomas, who will not of geographical science. chronicle everything that appears as soon as it this morning. Doctors Mess, Loos, and Keith A singular demonstration was made on the FOR SINGAPORE AND PENANG. SENGERS FOR THE UNITED STATES Guatemala, Marquesas Is., Mexi- 12 CUTLEE, PALMER & CO.'s MEDOC. \$4.50 appears, but will devote an article from time to were attending him. Arrangements are being 18th April at Plymouth Guildall, which was co. Salvador, Tahiti TIHE Steamship AND EUROPE, OUTLER, PALERE & CO.'S HAUT SAUtime to "such new pieces or revivals of old made for his funeral time afternoon. It is still crowded by an audience of 2,000 persons on the Belize, Bogota, Carthagena, Costa IN CONNECTION WITH THE pieces as from the point of view of dramatic art raining heavily; the wind has slightly abated. occasion of a charity concert. The last item on Rica, Curação, Greytown, Guithe programme was the Russian National An Curter, Palmer & co.'s Sugary. Captain Juques, will leave for the above Ports UENTRAL AND UNION PACIFIC AND and the progress of our stage may seem deserve Fearful weather yesterday and all night. ana, Honduras, Martinique, 10 12 A gentleman, well-acquainted with Nuwara fine full flavor, black ses on THURSDAY, the 7th instant, at 8 P.M. them, played by the band and song by the New Granada, Nicaraqua, Saning of special criticism." CONNECTING RAILROAD The secret is out at last, (says a writer in Eliya, favours us with the following expression aborus. Prior to its performance a Conserva-CUTLER. PALMER & CO.'S SHERRY, For Freight or Passage, apply to Venezuela, West Indies ... COMPANIES Figure) and it is my privilege to be the first to of opinion :- I am afraid that the servants at JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.. tive peer and his family rose and left, followed Vino Paro, blue seal AND ATLANTIC STEAMERS. Bolivia, Chili, Ecuador, Peru.... record it. The "Arabian Nights"-justly the Rest-house get the water of the river for by many others. The scene caused much ex-CUTLER, PALMER & Co.'s Shappy) regarded as amongst the most memorable drinking purposes, and I know that besides the 843 Hongkong, 2nd June, 1877. FIRE S.S. BRIGIC will be despatched for Argentine Confederation, Bu-) Manganillo, red zeal "entertainments" the world has ever witnessed, Beavenging of the bazar the river is polluted by The discovors of the Union Steamship Com-San Francisco, via Yokohama, on TUES enos Ayres, Paraguay, Uru. 12 27 pany, in order to meet the constant demand for OUTLEE, PALMEE & CO.'s SHEERY, ? extended to one thousand and one nighte, only. the dejections of the harar people and coulies THE Al American Ship DAY, the 19th June, at 3 P.M., taking Cargo It is designed by "Our Boys" to continue their | who come in from the estates for provisions, poreased speed in perforing the mailpacket Vino de Pasto, blue seal...... and Passengers for Japan, the United States, BOOKS & PAPERS. amusing entertainment to one thousand and two | &c. Sir William Backett left Colombo on service in which they are engaged, have just Curler, Palmer & Co.'s Cognac I star \$6.25 Hutchin Master, will load here and wil Circulars, &c., for Canada, por 1 0another new steamer of about 3,000 tons burden CUTLER, PALMER & Co.'s COGNAC 2 star \$7.50 have quick decretch. repetitions of Mr. Byron's story, when, having Tuesday week. Probably he wont direct to and Europe. Connection is made at Yukohama with "Roked" the "Arabian Nighta" they will try Nuwara Eliya; if he did, then the cholera For Freight, apply to Newspapers for all other places ? and large engine-power. The great increase of CUTLER, PALMER & Co.'s COGNAC Satar \$9 which has killed him must have originated in VOGEL. πAGEDORN & Co. Steamers from Shanghai. something new. Ainsi soit-il. (not over 4 oz.) each Paper or provided to this ship warrants the anti- Current Parmen & Co's Cognac 4 star \$10.50 791 Hongkong, 24th May, 1877. The next production at the Lycenm Theatre Nuwara Eliza itself. I do not remember to Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. of the 18th June. PARCEL PACKAGES will be Books, &c., for all other plants will be, says The Theatre, the "Courier of have heard of cholera attacking a Nuwara cipation of a very high rate of speed, and she FOR NEW YORK. Lyons," with Mr. Irving in the blended charac- Eliva resident or visitor before. Is it not the will be fitted with many modern appliances for received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day. Any articles found enclosed in Newspapers INHE Al American Ship WACHTER & Co.'s OELEBRATED ters of Dabose and Lesurgues. The story of first case of the kind? Nothing is known of efficiency in navigation and the comfort of All Parcel Packages should be marked to address "THOMAS LORD," or Book Packets (as silk scarves, jewellery, &c.) passengers. This is the second 3,000 ton steamthis piece is one of real life, as may be seen | consequent official arrangements. OHAMPAGNE, in full; value of same is required. Hall, Master, will load here, and will have will be detained and sold. from the French Causes Celebres. In the time of Sir William Hackett's is probably the first ship contracted for by the Union Company this Return Passage Tickets available for 6 at \$18 per Case of 1 doz. Quarts. quick despateb. year. The colonists at the Cape of Good Hope. the Directory three man committed an atrocious, case of a European dying of cholera at Nuwara months are issued at a reduction of 20 per cent. F. BLACKHEAD & Co. For Freight, apply to orime; two were taken, the third escaped. Sus- Eliva; but elsewhere there have been one or two REGISTRATION TO BANGKOK. and Natal are to be congratulated on the pos-VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. on regular rates. picion fell upon a man who bors a strong cases in the island, notably that of a well-known Her Britannie Majesty's Consul for Sinm has session of a mail-packet service more speedy in 1984 Hongkong, 18th December, 1876. 657 Hongkong, 27th April, 1877. For larther information as to Freight or resemblance to the real crimical, and he was robust Jaffaz cocoanus planter, Mr. James been good enough to make arrangements by transit, than is possessed by any other British. Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, FOR SALE. FOR NEW YORK. executed with the other two. The "Courrier Young at Kandy some years ago. Still, as means of which correspondence can be Regis-Colony, with the exception, perhaps, of Canada. OUTLER PALMER & Co.'s No. 37, Queen's Road Central. tered to Bangkok, at the usual charge of 8 THE Al American Ship' de Lyone," a play founded upon this story, was compared with Indians, we are accustomed G. B. EMORY, brought out at the Thélitre de la Gaité, Paris, with some reason to consider Europeans prac-Celebrated Sayer, Maeter, will load here and will have Agent, cents. Brands of WINES and SPIRITS. COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. in 1850, and was adapted to the English stage tically exempt from cholera in Ceylon. It four years afterwards by Mr. Charles Reads. behoves the Government todo all in their power quick despatch. Hongkong, lat June, 1877. Apply to To provide means of remitting small sums SIEMSSEN & Co. For Freight, apply to -SUNDAY, 3rd June. The actor who combines the two chief parts in to keep up this reputation. of money to or from this Colony and between-VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. tf 941 Hongkong, 21st June, 1876. NUWABA ELIYA, 18th May, 10,56 a.m. Sales to record, since last notice, of New NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR his own person brings his powers to a severe! the Ports of China and Japan, the Postmasters 663 Hongkong, 28th April, 1877. The remains of the Chief Justice were buried Patna at \$570, and of Old at \$565. Of New test. He has scarcely left the stage as Dubose and Agents of this Office will in future be al-FOR BALE. when he has to reappear as Leaurgues, and the here this morning. There was a good attend-VERTICAL BOILER, with ENGINE FOR SAN FRANCISCO. Neither the CAPTAIN, the AGENTS, nor the Benares at \$550. lowed (but not required) to purchase Hongkong characters offer in almost every respect a striking lance of Europeans, including His Excellency A attached, 5 Horse-Power, Fitted with OWNERS, will be RESPONSIBLE for any * RE Al British Ship Postage Stamps from foreign residents. the Lieutenant Governor, the Major-General, Governor, and complete in all its parts. DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crew contrast to each other. EXCHANGE. Between Hongkong and Shanghai, or Hong-Stanton, Master, will load here and will have -More than two hundred members and friends | Queen's Advocate Cayley, Mr. Parsons, and of-the-following Vessels-during their-stay-inand Yokobama, however, in either direction ON LONDON. A. MILLAR & Co. of the Royal Society of Musicians, dined at the Mr. Stewart. The weather is improving. Bank Bills, on demand...... 3/112 immediate despatch. Hongkong Harbour :-Money-Orders must be used. 1708 Hongkong, 28th October, 1876. Freemasons' Tavern, London, on the 19th April Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight, 4/0 ADELA, British bark, Beattie. - Eduard Schell-The Stamps tendered for sale must not ex-For Freight, apply to VOGEL HAGEDORN & Co. the 139th anniversary; Lord Skelmersdale in Mr. Phillips has been temporarily appointed Bank Bille, at 6 months sight 4/04 ceed \$25 in value, must be perfectly clean, in TWONG HING CHEUNG & CO the chair. Amongst the company were Lord Chief Justice of the Straits Settlements, and Oredits, at 6 months' sight 4/07 to 4/03 768 Hongkong, 19th May, 1877. good condition, and in strips of at least two, as LINE, British bark, Guilbert.-Jardine, Ma-COAL MERCHANTS. Dudley, Lord Hampton, Professor Macfarren, will leave England on the 1st June to take up Documentary Bills, at 6 FOR NEW YORK. no separate Stamps will be purchased. They Have always on hand for Sale every descripmonths' sight............ 4/07 to 4/1 Mr. Duncan Davison, &c. Mr. W. H. Cum- this appointment. AUGUSTE, British 3-m. schooner, Thomsen.must be presented personally or accompanied THE American Ship tion of COAL at Moderate Prices. ON BOMBAY.-Bank, sight 235 mings, the present honorary secretary, was Mr. Anton has been appointed Manager, and Meyer & Co. ON OALOUTTA.—Bank, sight,..... 233 enabled to announce subscriptions to the amount BARBARA TAYLOR, British schoon r. Taylor. Letters containing Stamps should be regis-"FLEETWING." THE OPIUM TRAFFIC. all Orders addressed to him at 57, Prays, or to of £1,400. Mrs. Beesley, Miss Robertson, Mr. tered, and the Stamps should be secured from ON SHANGHAL .-Mr. FAT JACK, at 30, Hing Lung Street, will Guest, Master, having the greater portion of -MacEwen, Frickel & Co. On the 17th inst. 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CHARLES YOUNG, THE ACTOR. prepared to enter it."-From Temple Bar.

THE SIAMANG. hension. Moreover, the fingers and thumbs and about three o'clock goes to his private to render the first finger less moveable; it is, kept, and remains balf an bour in prayer; and than the upper arm.—Natural-History:

A DESOLATE REGION. line between earth, and water, save when and meditation. some ica-crusted rock or tempest-beat boulder lifts its head above the lonely waste. Summer comes to this dreary region, but only as a

THE POPE AT HOME. But Caleb saw the game, and said: "Now, consin, don't remains about an hour and a half alone, and remained a few seconds without being able Oh, cruel fate I that day the groom met Tybalt in the by one of his chaplains. At half-past eight rules. What astonished them was the absence Woodla who has the charge of all journals teemed with his praises. The Dailse

gilt armchairs have never yet been occupied in England;" and the "new actor" supped Living so many years alone, he naturally by the King of Italy or the Prince or with Murray, and dined with Halifax, Ches. acquired eccentric habits, of some of which his Princess of Piedmont. Notwithstanding all terfield, and Sandwich. His emolument had son gives a very amusing account:-"He their expressions of respect, Pius IX. has increased from £1 a night to half the profits, considered humidity the besetting sin of our never consented to receive His Majesty Victor and Drury Lane was soon-glad to offer him insular climate; and thought it, therefore, Emmanuel, or any member of the Royal a salary of £600 a year. Circumstances, expedient to counteract its effects by scienting Family of Italy. As midday approaches, the however, almost as much as genius, helped rule. He had but little scientific knowledge, vast antechamber becomes peopled with car- David Garrick to this prodigious success; and as I have less than none, I will not at- dinals, prelates, lay chamberlains, exmerieri he appeared at, for him, a fortunate moment, tempt to define what I do not understand; segreti di spada e cappa, and the one or two of amidst a dearth of historionic talent. Quin, but he talked much of the benefits of the rare- the Roman nobles, whose daily turn it may a timid. stagey actor, was the brightest faction of the air by means of heat. The be, waiting to attend His Holiness while star of the theatrical horizon. Davis, a practical results of his theory I could under- giving the semi-public audiences which are dramatic historian, has admirably constand when I would enter his bedroom in the almost, without exception, daily events. . . trasted the opposing styles of the two middle of July, at night time, and see a per- At a few minutes before two the Pope artists in a notice upon Rowe's "Fair Fenibedroom candle. lighted, on a chest of present having kissed his hand, he goes After describing Quin's frigid pomposity, drawers; two wax candles, lighted, on the to dinner. The dining-room joins the study he goes on to say-" When, after long chimney; two lighted on his toilet-table; a said bedroom, and in small size and plain and come appartation. I hehald little Garpoliceman's lantern lighted for the night; furniture is in keeping with them. The Pope rick, then young and light, come bounding and the handle of a warning-pan protruding always dines alone, Monsignor Ceni, private upon the stage, Heavens! what a from his bed and remaining there till he was chaplein, or some other prelate being in at tion! It seemed as if a what century tendance, standing by the table, and twice had been swept over in one space of a a week the Commendatore Filippini, the single scene; old things were done away with is little or no delicacy of fingering or of pre- | siesta he takes a few turns along the Loggia,

to a certain extent, deficient in its muscles of then, according to the season, be either returns

DAVID GARRICK. one. Ere September has reached its close doors. These things made up the traditionary beggars without license with whipping, wild storms of snow and sleet sweep the couch-and-six which the proprietors drove the stocks for three days and three nights. through the Act of Parliament. Again, it was Cassell's "Illustrated History of England."

not "the gentleman's first appearance" upon Pius IX. (says the World) sleeps in one of any stage, as he had been performing prothe smallest of the 11,000 rooms at his com- viously at Ipswich. Although this theatre mand. A narrow, humble bed without curtains | had been the scene of more than one first apor drapery—something similar to those used pearance, and dim failure, the debut of the in seminaries for schoolboys -- a sofa, two or present aspirant, who was not unknown in three common chairs, and a writing-table are theatrical and literary circles, excited some enough for a Capuchin. There is not even the spectators were two delebrated actors, tiles, not in the best repair. Winter und scribed by Porcy Fitzgerald in his "Life of summer alike, the Pope gets up soon after Garrick:"--"It was recollected long afterhalf-past, and after he has finished dressing saw the crowded house he was disconcerted, passing his time in prayer and medi- to go on. But he soon recovered, No wonder tation. At half-past seven exactly he it surprised the audience. It was all so new. leaves his room, and, accompanied by his They found themselves in a fresh dramatic attendants, proceeds to the private chapel world, and were at first mystified, and near his apartment, where first he colobrates scarcely knew whether they were to sauction a mass himsel, and then attends another said this daring violation of all the old sacred be takes a cup of black coffee with some dry of the "plain chaunt" or "sing-song," the bread, and by a quarter to nine, or there- dead level declaration, now rising, now abouts, he has entered hisstudy (a small, one. sinking, either dry, boarse and croaking, window d room, looking towards the plazza or ear-piercing. This was free and natural. of St. Peter's, and commanding the view be. The surprising novelly was remarked that youd the Janiculum, and commenced the be seemed to identify himself with the part. with a common carpet; there are some feature. The stupendous passions of Richard furniture, the large writing table, outstripped his words. There was a perpetual which, amid a mass of papers, change and vivacity. One effect at last overstands a crucifix, a statuette of the Immacu. | bore all hesitation, and the delighted audience late Conception, a timepiece, and an inkstand. found relief for their emotions in rapturous As soon as the Pope has scated himself in shouts of applause. It was when he flung his straight-backed obeir, the Cardinal away the prayer-book after dismissing the Secretary of State, the ascetic Simeoni, enters | mayor that the audience first seemed to diswith the correspondence of the day, and the cover that true genius was before them." francs, laid the day before at the feet with every scene. In the fourth act came a and with it the Pope's two private secre- restored its power and carried him on tritaries, Monsiguer Mercurelli, whose duty umphantly to the end. The next morning it is to write the Brevi at Principi (letters he was the town talk; at the coffee-house addressed to royal personages), and Mon. he was all absorbing theme and the the other correspondence included under Post said: "Last night was performed gratis of Lettere Latine. As the noti. the tragedy of 'King Richard the Third' at tions are read. Pius IX. sits with his the late theatre in Goodman's Fields, when quill-pen in hand, and writes his so the character of Richard was performed by a cassa non sia esausta il reverendo Teologo whose reception was the most extraordinary solito tesoriere, solita cassa"-in clear, occasion." On the third or fourth nights mence the official audiences with cardinals, young man never had his equal, and will ambassadors who have letters of credence or never have a rival," was his dictum; nevertinction, whose special qualification for the "spoiled by praise." Three times did the Engtime is that of leaders of a pilgrimage lish Horace honour the performance with his royal personages. If the interview is of the receipts averaged only £30. But after this the list-named character, a trifling altera- came the rush. On November 26th the house tion has to be made in the narrow quarters was crammed, and hundreds had been turned occupied by the owner of 11,000 rooms, away by five o'clock in the afternoon (the the study to give sufficient space and as, Western theatres were now abandoned, a Let out a most terrific yell, fell down, and kicked the for instance, when the Prince and Princess stream of carriages nightly extended from of Wales were received-a gilt armchair is Temple Bar to Whitechapel; nobles, legisplaced on each side, but somewhat in front lators, bishops, struggled for seats. Pitt proof that occupied by the Pope. But the nounced this new actor to be " the only one

segretario segreto. Having taken his sent and a new order at once brought forward, There are some interesting points about in this room his chair has a small bright and harmonious and clearly destined the relation of the construction of this animal canopy over it—Pius IX reads a few prayers to disputhe barbarisms and bigoly of a tasteand its method of moving. Thus, in grasp- silently, and then, punctually at two, is less age too long attached to the prejudices ing a hough with the arm at full length above served the menu, consisting of soup and of custom and superstitiously devoted to the the head, so as to leave it with a swing in three dishes, of which he seldom partakes of dlusions of imposing declamation." order to grasp another rapidly and for a cor- more than two, drinking a little Johannie- June 10, 1776, scarcely thirty-five years respondingly short period of time, the fingers | berg cabinet or Cyprus of the Commandery, later, warned by failing powers that his require to be kept together as much as pos- But these good wines have been prescribed days of triumph must be brought to a close, sible, and to remain more or less bent, on the for him; until recently he never took any- the great actor, now rich in all Fortune's palm. The long thumb may or may not be thing but Vino del paese. Fried things gifts, made his final bow to an adoring used, but in order to move efficiently it must be never eats. When the cloth has been public; there was not a dry eye within be free and also strong. Now, in the Sia- removed, the red table-cover replaced, the walls of Drury Lane that night; and as, mang, these necessary peculiarities are pre- and the prelate in attendance has re- slowly and reluctantly, he passed behind the sent, and the common use of the finger and tired, the Popo places his elbow upon the curtain, a mournful cry of "Farewell" broke thumb in taking hold of things in the or- table, his head upon his hand, and dozes from hundreds of trembling lips like a dinary manner is sacrificed to them, and there for a quarter of an hour. After this brief mighty sob.—Belgravia. are extremely thin and delicate, and in order chapel, where the Holy Sacrament is always SLAVERY IN ENGLAND IN THE SIX-TEENTH CENTURY. The attention of the Legislature was drawn extension; and the common bending or flexor | to his study, or, if it is very fine, is carried in | forcibly to a great and growing evil-that of muscle of the fingers is very independent of his portantina down-to-the-garden, which, it mendicancy. Those who had received daily that of the thumb. In compensation, there must be remembered, is somewhat distant relief at the doors of the monasteries and is a special muscle found in this genus alone from the Pope's apartments, and spends the convents were now thrown on the country in which pulls the top of the second finger to- time in receiving and conversing with what crowds, without homes and resources. They wards the thumb. The skeleton of the hand one may call a few intimate friends, chiefly speedily grew in this life into the worst type shows that the fingers are slightly curved. those officials and prelates residing in the of vagabondism; swarmed on the highways There is no doubt that the hand of the Sia- Vatican. But the business of the day is not and in the villages and solitary, country mang, although it has these peculiar muscles, yet quite concluded. There are secretaries dwellings became a terror and a nuisance. the curve of the bones, and also the extra to be seen-possibly he of the Index Ex- An act was, therefore, passed for the punishbone noticed in the Orangs, is, as far as its | purgetorius, who reports the opinions of ment of these vagabonds, but the penalties skeleton is concerned, much more human the Congregation upon some book to awarded were of the most savage and brutal than that of the other Apes. The extensor be entered in that bulky volume—or semi- character. Any person brought before two muscles of the fingers resemble those of the official audiences have to be given to bishops justices of the peace on the charge of "living Orangs. The hand is larger than the foot in about to depart, or sit may be to Cardinal idly and loitering for the space of three days." these animals, and the forearm is much longer | Manning or Ledochowski just arrived. Whom | was to be branded with a bot iron on the these are over, the camerieri segreti partici- breast with the letter V as a vagabond, and

panti enter; the Pope reads aloud from his adjudged to serve the informer for two breviary what might well be called family years as his slave. The master_thus ac-A region of intense desolation is the nor- prayers; and then, it being hall-past eight, quiring his services was to give him bread, th coast of North America. The night of he goes to supper, a frugal meal of water, or small drink, but to refuse meat, the Arctic winter lies heavily upon it, crush, one dish and a little wire. Plus IX, then but might compel him to work by beating, ing out all sense or sound of life for long retires to his study, on the table of which chaining, or otherwise, at any kind of labour, months together. Berg, floe, and pack upon four wax candles are burning—no oil, still however vile. He might put an iron ring the sea join frozen hands with a dreary waste less the more modern substitutes are ever round his neck, aim, or leg; and if he abof drifted snow upon the land, and low-lying used in this apartment—and spends the rest sented himself for a fortnight, might brand cape and ice-piled shore lie in a chaos of of his waking hours, notil ten-bis custom- the letter S into his check or forehead, as a desolation where naught marks the hidden any time for going to bed-in strict seclusion sign that he was to become a slave for life. If he ran away a second time, he was to suffer death as a felon. Clerks—that is, clergymen convicted of felony, if they were entitled to On October 19th, 1741, the little theatre purgation in the bishop's court, were to be in Goodman's Fields-in which, in conse- slaves for two years; if not so entitled, for has vanished from the shore, the ice has quence of the new licensing Act recently five years. The masters of this new class of loosened in the rivers, long channels of blue passed, stage plays could no longer legally slaves could sell them, let them out for hire, open sea lie between the vast fields and floes be performed, except by certain subteringes or give them without hire, in any manner or of ice. On the undulating surface of the and evasions of the statute put forth a bill for any term that they thought proper, as ground moves and short grass appear; but announcing that on that evening there they had a right to do with any of their the iron grasp of winter is never wholly would be given "a concert of vocal and in movable goods or chattels. If no one preloosed from the land, and even in the long strumental music divided into two parts." | sented them to the magistrates, they might day of July, which knows no sunset, scarcely After this line followed an N.B.," which, hunt them up themselves, brand them as a foot beneath the surface the earth remains like a lady's P.S., contained the whole gist slaves, and dispose of them as they thought bound in an eternity of frost. Yet this short, of the matter. It stated that "between the best, by selling them, by letting them out to fleeting summer brings to this northern land | two parts of the concert will be presented | work in chains on the roads or other public a host of strange visitors. From the far gratis an historical play called the Lite and works. Thus ample powers were given for distant pine forests of the Great Slave Lake, Death of King Richard the Third," (here establishing an extensive slave trade and from the nearer, but still remote woods of follows a short synopsis of the incidents of the slavery in England, and in Englishmen, in dwarf fire and spectral junipers which fringe drama, which we need not transcribe). After the sixteenth century. Still worse, anyone the shores of the Great Bear Lake, and from which it informed all whom it might interest might seize the children of beggars, and use the yet farther off region where the crystal | that the part of King Richard would be or dispose of them as slaves—the boys till Athabasca lies amid its Laurentian wilds, sustained by "a gentleman who has never they were twenty-four years of age, and the there come great herds of reindeer trooping appeared upon any stage." The performance girls till they were twenty. If they ran away thither on their summer quest. Here along was to conclude with "A Ballad Opera in one they were empowered to put them in chains, the northern ten, in this short summer which act, called the 'Vitgin Unmasked.'" And and otherwise punish them. And though is one long day, the great berds bring forth tickets were to be obtained at the Fleece Inn, these unfortunates would nominally sequir their young. Here, too, birds in endless close by, where the best box seats could be their freedom at the prescribed age, yer that pumbers come to nest and to increase; the purchased at three shillings apiece. Playbills was perfectly nominal, for being found bogwild swau, the wavy, the goose, the great in that age were not always strictly veracious, ging or loitering, as they must do, they were grave, must in a common feeling of peace and | but of course nous avons changes tout cela | liable to be immediately seized again. This security, and safe at last from the universal newadays. In the beading the building Act was so atrocious and liable to such enemy, man, make their pests along the was styled "the late theatre," and it abuses, that it was repealed after two years margins of low-set pools and peaty swamps, informed its patrons that, although they paid trial, and the statute of 22 Henry VIII., c. 12, filling the long-silent air with voice and life to hear the concert, the play was thrown in was revived, allowing persons to beg with and motion. But this season is a desting for nothing, and no money was taken at the license of the magistrates, and punishing

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